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ABSTRACT

The cross-correlation function, $\Delta_r(y)$, between two maximal linear recursive sequences is defined by

$$\Delta_r(y) = \sum_{x \in GF(2^n)} (-1)^{\text{Tr}(xy + x^r)}$$

for some r , $\text{GCD}(r, 2^n - 1) = 1$. $\Delta_r(y)$ is analyzed and evaluated for two types of decimation r . For the first type, $r \equiv 2^k \pmod{2^n - 1}$. It is shown that $\Delta_r(y)$ is restricted to the form

$$\Delta_r(y) = 2^{n/2(j-1)}, \quad 0 \leq j \leq J,$$

where j is the number of distinct solutions to the system of two equations over $GF(2^n)$ and J is the degree of one of the two equations. For the second type, $r = (2^{mk} + 1)/(2^k + 1)$ and for this case $\Delta_r(y)$ is restricted to the form

$$\Delta_r(y) = 0, \quad \pm 2^{(n+de)/2}, \quad 0 \leq d \leq m-2, \quad d \text{ odd}$$

where $e = \text{GCD}(n, k)$ and d depends on the rank of a quadratic form over $GF(2^e)$.

The explicit evaluation of $\Delta_r(y)$ is equivalent to the explicit evaluation of weight distribution of the $(2^n - 1, 2n)$ cyclic code whose dual code is generated by $f_1(x)f_r(x)$, the product of two primitive polynomials of degree n .

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**MULTI-VALUED CROSS-CORRELATION FUNCTIONS BETWEEN TWO
MAXIMAL LINEAR RECURSIVE SEQUENCES**

CHAPTER I

INTRODUCTION

1. INTRODUCTION

In recent years, maximal linear recursive sequences have been studied extensively, notably by Zierler [1], Gold [2] [3] [4] [5], Kasami [6] [7] [8], Solomon [9], Golomb [10] [11], Welch [12] and Trachtenberg. [13] Maximal linear recursive sequences have ideal auto-correlation values: $C_{aa}(\tau) = -1$ for all $\tau \neq 0$ and $C_{aa}(0) =$ period of the sequence. This ideal auto-correlation property is useful in synchronization technique in communication systems. Some maximal linear recursive sequences have uniformly low cross-correlation values which is responsible for extensive application in spread spectrum communication systems for multiplexing operations. [4]

What is involved in study of the cross-correlation functions between two maximal linear recursive sequences is to evaluate explicitly a quantity $\Delta_r(y)$ where

$$\Delta_r(y) = \sum_{x \in GF(2^n)} (-1)^{\text{Tr}(xy + x^r)}.$$

Generally it is difficult to evaluate $\Delta_r(y)$ algebraically. However, when the decimation r takes on some special values, the explicit evaluation of $\Delta_r(y)$ is possible. Gold, Kasami and Solomon evaluated $\Delta_r(y)$ for the case $r = 2^k + 1$, $n/\text{GCD}(n,k)$ odd. Kasami and Solomon found

the weight distribution formula of the $(2^n-1, 2n)$ cyclic code generated by the polynomial $f_1(x)f_r(x)$ via linear recursion. The evaluation of weights of the above cyclic code is equivalent to the evaluation of $\Delta_r(y)$. Welch evaluated $\Delta_r(y)$ for the case $r = 2^{2k} - 2^k + 1$, $n/\text{GCD}(n, k)$ odd. Trachtenberg extended the above two results to non-binary cases. He introduced a quantity

$$\Delta'_r(y) = \sum_{x \in \text{GF}(p^n)} \rho^{\text{Tr}(xy - x^r)}$$

where p is an odd prime and ρ is a complex p -th root of unity. He evaluated $\Delta'_r(y)$ for the cases $r = (p^{2k} + 1)/2$ and $r = (p^{2k} - p^k + 1)$, n odd, $r \not\equiv p^j \pmod{p^n-1}$ for any j . In this paper only the binary cases are considered.

In CHAPTER I fundamental concepts of linear recursive sequences are introduced. All materials are discussed extensively in [10] and [14]. Also given are known results on 3-valued $\Delta_r(y)$ and a relationship between weights of the $(2^n-1, 2n)$ cyclic code and cross-correlation values.

In CHAPTER II some properties are presented on $\Delta_r(y)$ including $\Delta_{-1}(y)$. Also presented are useful lemmas on greatest common divisors of two integers and the complete results on 3-valued, 4-valued and 5-valued $\Delta_r(y)$.

In CHAPTER III $\Delta_r(y)$ for the case $r \equiv 2^k \pmod{2^{n/2}-1}$, $\text{GCD}(r, 2^n-1) = 1$, is considered.

In CHAPTER IV $\Delta_r(y)$ for the case $r = (2^{mk}+1)/(2^k+1)$, $n/\text{GCD}(n, k)$ and m odd, is considered. Also given are some

conjectures on 3-valued and 5-valued $\Delta_r(y)$.

In CHAPTER V summary and comments are given.

2. LINEAR RECURSIVE SEQUENCES

A linear recursive sequence a_0, a_1, a_2, \dots is a sequence $\{a_i\}$ which satisfies a recursion relation of the form:

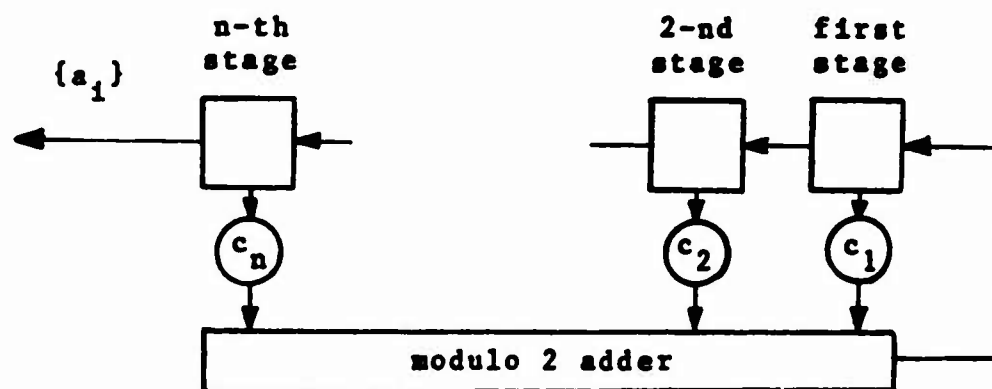
$$a_{n+1} = \sum_{j=1}^n c_j a_{n+1-j} \quad i = 0, 1, 2, \dots \quad (1.1)$$

where

$$a_i, c_i \in GF(2)$$

and a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{n-1} are pre-assigned.

Such a sequence $\{a_i\}$ can be generated by the n -stage shift register and a modulo 2 adder as shown below.



Constants c_1, c_2, \dots, c_n are feedback coefficients; $c_i = 1$ if there is a tap connected to the i -th stage and $c_i = 0$ if there is no tap connected to the i -th stage. The linear recursive sequence $\{a_i\}$ of (1.1) can be thought as the sequence of outputs observed from the n -th stage.

Initial conditions a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{n-1} are pre-assigned with the k -th stage containing a_{n-k} , $1 \leq k \leq n$. Contents of stages are added modulo 2 according to the recursion relation (1.1) and the sum is fed back to the first stage as the content of the i -th stage is shifted into the $(i+1)$ -st stage, $1 \leq i \leq n-1$, and the output a_j is shifted out from the n -th stage.

It is said that the sequence $\{a_i\}$ is generated by the polynomial $f(x)$ via linear recursion where

$$f(x) = x^n + c_1 x^{n-1} + c_2 x^{n-2} + \dots + c_n. \quad (1.2)$$

In this paper only sequences considered are those whose recursion polynomial $f(x)$ is irreducible.

In order to describe the sequence $\{a_i\}$ mathematically, consider the sequence $\{b_j\}$ defined by $b_j = a_{n+j}$. Then, the sequence $\{b_j\}$ can be characterized by its Z-transform in terms of the recursion polynomial $f(x)$ of the sequence $\{a_i\}$ and initial conditions a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{n-1} . Let $B(z)$ be the Z-transform of the sequence $\{b_j\}$:

$$B(z) = b_0 + b_1 z + b_2 z^2 + b_3 z^3 + \dots$$

Then, $B(z)$ can be expressed as follows:

$$B(z) = \frac{\sum_{j=1}^n c_j z^j \left\{ \sum_{i=0}^{j-1} a_{n-j+i} z^{1-i} \right\}}{z^n f(1/z)} \quad (1.3)$$

Many interesting properties of the sequence $\{b_j\}$ can be derived by investigating $B(z)$.^[10] However, it is necessary to expand (1.3) if one is to determine $\{b_j\}$.

The period p of the sequence $\{a_i\}$ is the smallest positive integer p such that $a_{i+p} = a_i$ for all i . In terms of the recursion polynomial $f(x)$, the period p is the smallest positive integer p such that $f(x)$ divides $(x^p + 1)$. When $p = 2^n - 1$, the polynomial $f(x)$ is said to be primitive. Since $f(x)$ is irreducible, the period p of the sequence $\{a_i\}$ is some divisor of $(2^n - 1)$. When $p = 2^n - 1$, the sequence $\{a_i\}$ is said to be a maximal linear recursive sequence or a maximal-length linear shift register sequence. The sequence $\{a_i\}$ is a maximal linear recursive sequence if and only if its recursion polynomial $f(x)$ is primitive. For the remainder of this paper, only the maximal linear recursive sequence $\{a_i\}$ is considered and the analysis is made on $\{a_i\}_{i=0}^{2^n-2}$. A maximal linear recursive sequence is henceforth simply referred to as a maximal sequence.

A more algebraic representation of a maximal sequence $\{a_i\}_{i=0}^{2^n-2}$ generated by (1.1), which gives more insight to the structure of such a sequence, is the following: [14]

$$a_i = \text{Tr}_1^n(\beta \alpha^i) \quad (1.4)$$

where

α is the root of $f(x)$ of (1.2),

$\text{Tr}_e^n(x)$ is the trace linear functional Tr_e^n on $\text{GF}(2^n)$ defined by

$$\text{Tr}_e^n(x) = x + x^{2^e} + x^{2^{2e}} + \dots + x^{2^{(n-1)e}} \quad (1.5)$$

and β is some element of $\text{GF}(2^n)$.

The element β is determined uniquely by initial conditions a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{n-1} from the following matrix-vector equation:

$$\underline{D} \underline{x}^t = \underline{y}^t$$

where

$$\underline{D} = (d_{i,j}), \quad 1 \leq i, j \leq n,$$

$$\underline{x} = (x_i), \quad \underline{y} = (y_i), \quad 1 \leq i \leq n,$$

$$d_{i,j} = \alpha^{(i-1)2^{j-1}},$$

$$x_i = \beta^{2^{i-1}},$$

$$y_i = a_{i-1},$$

$$a_i, \alpha \text{ and } \beta \text{ are as defined above}$$

and t indicates the transpose.

Since the determinant $|D|$ is a van der Monde determinant, a vector \underline{x} and hence β can be determined uniquely from \underline{y} .

Since for any $x, y \in GF(2^n)$ and for all i , $(x + y)^{2^i} = x^{2^i} + y^{2^i}$ and $x^{2^n} = x$, the following important properties of $\text{Tr}_e^n(x)$ are true:

$$\text{Tr}_e^n(x) \in GF(2^e)$$

$$\text{Tr}_e^n(x + y) = \text{Tr}_e^n(x) + \text{Tr}_e^n(y)$$

$$\text{Tr}_e^n(x^{2^i}) = \text{Tr}_e^n(x)$$

A maximal sequence $\{a_i\}_{i=0}^{2^n-2}$ is said to be in natural orientation if $a_i = a_{2i}$ for all i , indices reduced modulo 2^n-1 . Such a sequence does exist and it is obtained when initial conditions a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{n-1} are given by:

$$a_i = \text{Tr}_1^n(\alpha^i) \quad (1.6)$$

That is, $\beta = 1$ in (1.4). Henceforth, when we consider a maximal sequence $\{a_i\}_{i=0}^{2^n-2}$ in natural orientation, it is understood that a_i is given by (1.6) for all i .

Throughout this paper a symbol "n" is reserved to represent the degree of the recursion polynomial $f(x)$ in (1.2) or equivalently the number of stages used to generate a sequence $\{a_i\}$. A notation Tr is often used in place of Tr_1^n . When a confusion can arise, Tr_1^n will be used explicitly.

Given two integers r and q , $\text{GCD}(r, q)$ is the greatest positive integer that divides both r and q , and $\text{LCM}(r, q)$ is the least positive integer that is divisible by both r and q . Given two polynomials $s(x)$ and $t(x)$, $\text{GCD}(s(x), t(x))$ is the monic polynomial of greatest degree that divides both $s(x)$ and $t(x)$.

A sequence $\{b_i\}$ is said to be obtained by decimation r from a sequence $\{a_i\}$ when $b_i = a_{ri}$, indices reduced modulo 2^n-1 . Let $\{b_i\}$ be the sequence obtained from $\{a_i\}$ by decimation r . When $\{a_i\}$ is maximal, $\{b_i\}$ is also maximal provided that $\text{GCD}(r, 2^n-1) = 1$. If $\{a_i\}$ is in natural orientation and $\text{GCD}(r, 2^n-1) = 1$, then $\{b_i\}$ is also in natural orientation. If $f(x)$ is a recursion polynomial for $\{a_i\}$, then $h(x)$ is a recursion polynomial for $\{b_i\}$ provided that $h(x)$ is the minimal polynomial of α^r and α is the root of $f(x)$.

There are $\phi(p)$ integers from 1 to p which are relatively prime to p , where $\phi(p)$ is the Euler ϕ -function. These $\phi(p)$ integers form a group G under multiplication modulo p . Let $p = 2^n - 1$. Then, the set $H = \{1, 2, 2^2, \dots, 2^{n-1}\}$ forms a multiplicative subgroup of G . Proper cyclotomic cosets, C_i , of H can be obtained by multiplying elements of H by an element of G . That is,

$$C_1 = g_1 H, \quad g_1 = 1$$

$$C_2 = g_2 H, \quad g_2 \in G \text{ but } g_2 \notin C_1$$

.....

$$C_i = g_i H, \quad g_i \in G \text{ but } g_i \notin C_j \text{ for all } j, 1 \leq j < i$$

.....

There are exactly $\phi(2^n - 1)/n$ proper cyclotomic cosets. A cyclotomic coset $C = rH$ is called improper if $\text{GCD}(r, 2^n - 1) \neq 1$, $1 \leq r \leq 2^n - 1$. Proper cyclotomic cosets and improper cyclotomic cosets constitute cyclotomic cosets modulo $2^n - 1$. There are $\{-1 + \frac{1}{n} \sum_{d|n} \phi(d) 2^{n/d}\}$ cyclotomic cosets in all. q and r belong to the same cyclotomic coset if and only if there exists some integer j , $0 \leq j \leq n-1$, such that $q \equiv 2^j r \pmod{2^n - 1}$. The smallest member of the cyclotomic coset is called the cyclotomic coset leader.

Let C_q and C_r be cyclotomic cosets containing q and r respectively. Then, C_q is called the inverse cyclotomic coset of C_r if there exists some integer j , $0 \leq j \leq n-1$, such that $qr \equiv 2^j \pmod{2^n - 1}$.

Two maximal sequences $\{b_i\}$ and $\{b'_i\}$ obtained by

decimations r and r' respectively from the same maximal sequence $\{a_i\}$ in natural orientation are identical if r and r' belong to the same proper cyclotomic coset.

There are $\phi(2^n - 1)/n$ distinct maximal sequences of period $2^n - 1$. They are generated by $\phi(2^n - 1)/n$ distinct primitive polynomials of degree n . Given one maximal sequence $\{a_i\}$, remaining $\{\phi(2^n - 1)/n - 1\}$ maximal sequences can be obtained from $\{a_i\}$ by decimations $r_2, r_3, \dots, r_{\phi(2^n - 1)/n}$, where r_1 is any member of the i -th proper cyclotomic coset C_i .

The following lemma is a well known result of finite fields. It is often used in evaluation of cross-correlation functions between two maximal sequences.

LEMMA 1-1:

$$\sum_{x \in \text{GF}(2^n)} (-1)^{\text{Tr}(\sigma x)} = \begin{cases} 2^n & \text{if } \sigma = 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } \sigma \neq 0, \sigma \in \text{GF}(2^n) \end{cases}$$

proof:

If $\sigma = 0$, the result is trivial. If $\sigma \neq 0$, σx is equal to each element of $\text{GF}(2^n)$ exactly once as x ranges over $\text{GF}(2^n)$. Hence,

$$\sum_{x \in \text{GF}(2^n)} (-1)^{\text{Tr}(\sigma x)} = \sum_{x \in \text{GF}(2^n)} (-1)^{\text{Tr}(x)}$$

Since $x \in \text{GF}(2^n)$ if and only if $x + x^{2^n} = 0$ and

$$\begin{aligned} x + x^{2^n} &= (x + x^2 + \dots + x^{2^{n-1}})(1 + x + x^2 + x^{2^2} + \dots + x^{2^{n-1}}) \\ &= \text{Tr}(x)\{1 + \text{Tr}(x)\}, \end{aligned}$$

exactly half of the elements have trace 1 and the others have trace 0. Hence

$$\sum_{x \in GF(2^n)} (-1)^{\text{Tr}(x)} = 0 \quad \text{QED}$$

3. CROSS-CORRELATION FUNCTIONS BETWEEN 2 MAXIMAL SEQUENCES

An auto-correlation function $C_{aa}(\tau)$ of a maximal sequence $\{a_i\}_{i=0}^{2^n-2}$ is defined as the number of bit-by-bit agreements minus the number of bit-by-bit disagreements between $\{a_{i+\tau}\}_{i=0}^{2^n-2}$ and $\{a_i\}_{i=0}^{2^n-2}$, indices reduced modulo 2^n-1 . Then, $C_{aa}(\tau)$ can be expressed as

$$C_{aa}(\tau) = \sum_{i=0}^{2^n-2} (-1)^{a_{i+\tau}} (-1)^{a_i}, \quad 0 \leq \tau \leq 2^n-2.$$

The auto-correlation function $C_{aa}(\tau)$ of a maximal sequence is a two-valued function as shown in the following well-known theorem.

THEOREM 1-2: [1] [10]

$$C_{aa}(\tau) = \begin{cases} -1 & \text{for } \tau \neq 0 \\ 2^n-1 & \text{for } \tau = 0 \end{cases}$$

proof:

Using (1.6), $C_{aa}(\tau)$ can be expressed as

$$\begin{aligned} C_{aa}(\tau) &= \sum_{i=0}^{2^n-2} (-1)^{\text{Tr}(\alpha^{i+\tau})} (-1)^{\text{Tr}(\alpha^i)} \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^{2^n-2} (-1)^{\text{Tr}(\alpha^{i+\tau} + \alpha^i)}. \end{aligned}$$

As i ranges from 0 to 2^n-2 , α^i takes on all non-zero elements of $GF(2^n)$ once. Then, by letting $\alpha^i = y \in GF(2^n)$,

$$\begin{aligned}
C_{aa}(\tau) &= \sum_{\substack{x \in GF(2^n) \\ x \neq 0}} (-1)^{\text{Tr}(xy + x)} \\
&= \sum_{\substack{x \in GF(2^n) \\ x \neq 0}} (-1)^{\text{Tr}\{x(y+1)\}} \\
&= -1 + \sum_{x \in GF(2^n)} (-1)^{\text{Tr}\{x(y+1)\}}
\end{aligned}$$

Using Lemma 1-1,

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \begin{cases} -1 & \text{if } y \neq 1 \\ -1+2^n & \text{if } y = 1 \end{cases} \\
&= \begin{cases} -1 & \text{if } \tau \neq 0 \\ -1+2^n & \text{if } \tau = 0 \end{cases}
\end{aligned}$$

QED

A cross-correlation function $C_{ab}(\tau)$ between two maximal sequences $\{a_i\}_{i=0}^{2^n-2}$ and $\{b_i\}_{i=0}^{2^n-2}$ is defined similarly.

$$C_{ab}(\tau) = \sum_{i=0}^{2^n-2} (-1)^{a_{i+\tau}} (-1)^{b_i}$$

Let $\{b_i\}_{i=0}^{2^n-2}$ be a maximal sequence obtained from $\{a_i\}_{i=0}^{2^n-2}$ by proper decimation r . That is, $b_i = a_{ri}$ and $\text{GCD}(r, 2^n-1) = 1$. Then,

$$\begin{aligned}
C_{ab}(\tau) &= \sum_{i=0}^{2^n-2} (-1)^{a_{i+\tau}} (-1)^{a_{ri}} \\
&= \sum_{i=0}^{2^n-2} (-1)^{\text{Tr}(a^{i+\tau} + a^{ri})} \\
&= \sum_{\substack{x \in GF(2^n) \\ x \neq 0}} (-1)^{\text{Tr}(xy + x^r)}
\end{aligned}$$

where $y = a^r$. Then,

$$C_{ab}(\tau) = -1 + \sum_{x \in GF(2^n)} (-1)^{\text{Tr}(xy + x^r)}.$$

The following two theorems are known.

THEOREM 1-3: Gold [5], Kasami [6] [7] [8], Solomon [9]

If $r = 2^k + 1$ and n/e is odd where $e = \text{GCD}(n, k)$, $C_{ab}(\tau)$ takes on only three values: -1 , $-1 \pm 2^{(n+e)/2}$.

$$C_{ab}(\tau) = \begin{cases} -1 & 2^{n-e-1} - 1 \text{ times} \\ -1 + 2^{(n+e)/2} & 2^{n-e-1} + 2^{(n-e-2)/2} \text{ times} \\ -1 - 2^{(n+e)/2} & 2^{n-e-1} - 2^{(n-e-2)/2} \text{ times} \end{cases} \quad (1.7)$$

THEOREM 1-4: Golomb [11], Welch [12]

If $r = 2^{2k} - 2^k + 1$ and n/e is odd where $e = \text{GCD}(n, k)$, $C_{ab}(\tau)$ takes on only three values. The distribution of cross-correlation values are again given by (1.7).

The conjecture [11] that for n odd $r = 2^{(n-1)/2} + 2^d + 1$ where d is a divisor of $(n-1)$ leads to the three-valued $C_{ab}(\tau)$ was shown to be false. Some of the counter-examples are given below.

n	d	r	$C_{ab}(\tau)$
7	6	73	7-valued
11	2	37	5-valued
11	10	$1057 \equiv 67$	9-valued
13	2	69	10-valued

13	3	73	18-valued
13	4	81	9-valued
13	12	$4161 \equiv 131$	19-valued

However, the Welch's conjecture [1] that $r = 2^{(n-1)/2} + 3$ leads to the 3-valued $C_{ab}(\tau)$ has been verified for $n \leq 17$.

Define $\Delta_r(y)$ by

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta_r(y) &= \sum_{x \in GF(2^n)} (-1)^{\text{Tr}(xy + x^r)} \\ &= C_{ab}(\tau) + 1\end{aligned}$$

where

$$y = \alpha^r \text{ and } \{b_i\}_{i=0}^{2^n-2} = \{a_{ri}\}_{i=0}^{2^n-2}.$$

For the remainder of this paper, by the cross-correlation function, we shall mean $\Delta_r(y)$ rather than $C_{ab}(\tau)$.

Let $n(\Delta_r)$ denote the number of times $\Delta_r(y)$ takes on the value Δ_r as y ranges over $GF(2^n)$. In terms of $\Delta_r(y)$ Theorem 1-3 and Theorem 1-4 become:

THEOREM 1-5:

If $r = 2^k + 1$ and n/e is odd where $e = \text{GCD}(n, k)$, $\Delta_r(y)$ takes on three values: $0, \pm 2^{(n+e)/2}$

Δ_r	$n(\Delta_r)$	
$2^{(n+e)/2}$	$2^{n-e-1} + 2^{(n-e-2)/2}$	
0	$2^n - 2^{n-e}$	(1.8)
$-2^{(n+e)/2}$	$2^{n-e-1} - 2^{(n-e-2)/2}$	

THEOREM 1-6:

If $r = 2^{2k} - 2^k + 1$ and n/e is odd where $e = \text{GCD}(n, k)$, $\Delta_r(y)$ takes on three values. Δ_r and $n(\Delta_r)$ are given by (1.8).

For the remainder of this paper, an analysis is made on $\Delta_r(y)$ instead of $C_{ab}(\tau)$.

The complete evaluation of $\Delta_r(y)$ for $n = 3$ through $n = 12$ has been carried out on IBM 370 at the University Computing Center. For $n = 13$ through $n = 15$, only those proper decimations that lead to 7 or less distinct cross-correlation values are determined. For $n = 16$, only those that lead to 5 or less cross-correlation values are determined. In obtaining these results, the author used the Fourier transform algorithm developed by Welch.

Table 1-1 lists coset leaders of the cyclotomic cosets containing r and r^{-1} where r is given by Theorems 1-5 and 1-6. Table 1-2 lists decimations that result in 3-valued $\Delta_r(y)$ for $n = 3$ through $n = 16$ that are not covered by either Theorem 1-5 or Theorem 1-6. Two decimations r and r' are given in pair as the cyclotomic cosets containing r and r' are inverse of each other. The complete results appear in APPENDIX A.

4. $(2^n - 1, 2n)$ CYCLIC CODES

Theorems on cross-correlation values Δ_r and their

CYCLOTOMIC COSET LEADERS GIVEN BY THEOREMS 1-5 & 1-6

		THEOREM 1-5				THEOREM 1-6	
		k	e	r	r^{-1}	r	r^{-1}
n =	3	1	1	3	3	3	3
n =	5	1	1	3	11	3	11
		2	1	5	7	11	3
n =	6	2	2	5	13	13	5
n =	7	1	1	3	43	3	43
		2	1	5	27	13	11
		3	1	9	15	23	29
n =	9	1	1	3	171	3	171
		2	1	5	103	13	59
		3	3	9	57	57	9
		4	1	17	31	47	87
n =	10	2	2	5	205	13	79
		4	2	17	181	79	13
n =	11	1	1	3	683	3	683
		2	1	5	411	13	315
		3	1	9	231	57	413
		4	1	17	365	143	43
		5	1	33	63	95	151

n = 12	4	4	17	241	241	17
n = 13	1	1	3	2731	3	2731
	2	1	5	1639	13	635
	3	1	9	911	57	723
	4	1	17	1453	241	171
	5	1	33	1243	287	1691
	6	1	65	127	191	1245
n = 14	2	2	5	3277	13	1339
	4	2	17	2893	241	205
	6	2	65	2773	319	979
n = 15	1	1	3	10923	3	10923
	2	1	5	6555	13	2523
	3	3	9	3641	57	575
	4	1	17	1935	241	3671
	5	5	33	993	993	33
	6	3	65	3529	575	57
	7	1	129	255	383	4791

TABLE 1-1

INVERSE PAIRS OF COSET LEADERS GIVING 3-VALUED $\Delta_r(y)$

n = 9	19 - 27	
n = 10	25 - 41	49 - 107
n = 11	35 - 117	107 - 249
n = 13	67 - 367	71 - 347
n = 14	113 - 145	193 - 1613
n = 15	131 - 4815	1371 - 2033

TABLE 1-2

distribution $\eta(\Delta_r)$ as y ranges over $GF(2^n)$ can be translated to theorems on weight w and weight distribution $\eta(w)$ of a $(2^n-1, 2n)$ cyclic code.

Let C be the $(2^n-1, 2n)$ cyclic code generated by the polynomial $f_1(x)f_r(x)$ via linear recursion. That is, C is the $(2^n-1, 2n)$ cyclic code whose generator polynomial [15] is given by:

$$(x^{2^n-1} + 1)/x^{2n}f_1(1/x)f_r(1/x)$$

where

$f_1(x)$ is the minimal polynomial of α^1 and α is a primitive element of $GF(2^n)$.

Then, given a codeword $\underline{a} = (a_0, a_1, a_2, \dots, a_{2^n-2})$ in C , there exist two elements c and d in $GF(2^n)$ such that the Mattson-Solomon polynomial associated with \underline{a} is given by $g_{\underline{a}}(x) = \text{Tr}(cx) + \text{Tr}(dx^r)$ and $a_i = g_{\underline{a}}(\alpha^i)$. Note that $c = 0 = d$ corresponds to the case $w(\underline{a}) = 0$ and $c = 0, d \neq 0$ or $c \neq 0, d = 0$ corresponds to the case $w(\underline{a}) = 2^{n-1}$.

The non-zero weight w and the weight distribution $\eta(w)$ of the $(2^n-1, 2n)$ cyclic code C are related to Δ_r and $\eta(\Delta_r)$ as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} w &= (2^n - \Delta_r)/2 \\ \eta(w) &= (2^n - 1)\eta(\Delta_r) && \text{for } \Delta_r \neq 0 \\ \eta(w) &= (2^n - 1)\{\eta(\Delta_r) + 1\} && \text{for } \Delta_r = 0 \end{aligned} \quad (1.9)$$

The minimum weight w_{\min} of C is given by:

$$w_{\min} = \{2^n - \max_y \Delta_r(y)\}/2.$$

In terms of cyclic codes, Theorem 1-5 and Theorem 1-6 become :

The $(2^n-1, 2n)$ cyclic code generated by the polynomial $f_1(x)f_r(x)$ via linear recursion is a tri-weight code with the following weight distribution for non-zero weight.

w	$n(w)$
$2^{n-1} - 2^{(n+e-2)/2}$	$(2^n - 1)(2^{n-e-1} + 2^{(n-e-2)/2})$
2^{n-1}	$(2^n - 1)(2^n - 2^{n-e} + 1)$
$2^{n-1} + 2^{(n+e-2)/2}$	$(2^n - 1)(2^{n-e-1} - 2^{(n-e-2)/2})$

where

$$r = 2^k + 1 \text{ or } r = 2^{2k} - 2^k + 1 ,$$

$$e = \text{GCD}(n, k)$$

and n/e is odd.

CHAPTER II

PROPERTIES OF CROSS-CORRELATION FUNCTIONS

1. FURTHER RESULTS ON $\Delta_r(y)$

In this section, we derive some results on $\Delta_r(y)$. The first three lemmas are the direct results of the structures of finite fields. Proofs are omitted.

LEMMA 2-1:

$$\Delta_r(y) = \Delta_r(y^{2^k}) \text{ for all } k.$$

LEMMA 2-2:

If r and r' belong to the same proper cyclotomic coset, $\Delta_r(y) = \Delta_{r'}(y)$ for all y .

LEMMA 2-3:

If two proper decimations r and r' are such that $r \cdot r' \equiv 2^k \pmod{2^n - 1}$, $\Delta_r(y) = \Delta_{r'}(y^{-r})$.

LEMMA 2-4:

$$\Delta_r(y) \equiv 0 \pmod{4} \text{ for all } y \text{ and } r, \text{ GCD}(r, 2^n - 1) = 1.$$

proof:

Let $N(i, j)$ be the number of times the ordered pair $\{\text{Tr}(xy) = i \text{ and } \text{Tr}(x^r) = j\}$ occurs as x ranges over $\text{GF}(2^n)$.

Both mappings $x \rightarrow xy$, $y \neq 0$, and $x \rightarrow x^r$, $\text{GCD}(r, 2^n - 1)$

$= 1$, permute elements of $GF(2^n)$. Since exactly half of the elements have trace 1 and the others have trace 0, the following 4 equalities hold.

$$N(0,0) + N(0,1) = 2^{n-1}$$

$$N(1,0) + N(1,1) = 2^{n-1}$$

$$N(0,0) + N(1,0) = 2^{n-1}$$

$$N(0,1) + N(1,1) = 2^{n-1}$$

which imply

$$N(0,0) = N(1,1)$$

$$N(1,0) = N(0,1)$$

$$N(0,0) \text{ and } N(1,0) \text{ are both even or both odd.}$$

From the definition of the cross-correlation function,

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_r(y) &= \{N(0,0) + N(1,1)\} - \{N(1,0) + N(0,1)\} \\ &= 2\{N(0,0) - N(1,0)\}. \end{aligned}$$

Since $N(0,0)$ and $N(1,0)$ are both even or both odd,

$\{N(0,0) - N(1,0)\}$ is even. Hence, $\Delta_r(y) \equiv 0 \pmod{4}$.

Clearly $\Delta_r(y) = 0$ when $y = 0$.

QED

In view of Lemma 2-4, $\Delta_r(y)$ exhibits interesting characteristics for $r = 2^{n-1} - 1$. Since $2r \equiv -1 \pmod{2^{n-1}}$, $\Delta_r(y)$ for $r = 2^{n-1} - 1$ is a cross-correlation function between a maximal sequence and its reverse sequence. In [16] Dowling and McEliece gave the bound on $\Delta_{-1}(y)$. They applied the result on exponential sums in finite fields given by Carlitz and Uchiyama. [17]

$$\left| \sum_{\substack{x \in GF(p^n) \\ x \neq 0}} \exp\left\{\frac{2\pi i}{p} \text{Tr}(xy + x^{-1})\right\} \right| \leq 2 \cdot p^{n/2}$$

where

$$y \in GF(p^n).$$

Letting $p = 2$,

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \sum_{\substack{x \in GF(2^n) \\ x \neq 0}} (-1)^{\text{Tr}(xy + x^{-1})} \right| \\ &= |\Delta_{-1}(y) - 1| \leq 2^{(n+2)/2} \end{aligned}$$

Hence,

$$-2^{(n+2)/2} + 1 \leq \Delta_{-1}(y) \leq 2^{(n+2)/2} + 1 \quad (2.1)$$

Since $2^{(n+2)/2} \equiv 0 \pmod{4}$ for n even, we have

$$-2^{(n+2)/2} + 4 \leq \Delta_{-1}(y) \leq 2^{(n+2)/2}, \quad n \text{ even} \quad (2.2)$$

Let L_n denote the number of distinct values that $\Delta_{-1}(y)$ takes on as y ranges over $GF(2^n)$.

It has been verified that the bounds on $\Delta_{-1}(y)$ given by (2.1) and (2.2) are extremely tight for $n \leq 18$ as shown in Table 2-1. For n odd, the largest and the smallest values between the bounds of (2.1) which are of the form $4K$ are attained by $\Delta_{-1}(y)$ for some y . For n even, both the upper and the lower bounds of (2.2) are attained. Furthermore, since $L_n = \{\max\{\Delta_{-1}(y)\} - \min\{\Delta_{-1}(y)\}\}/4 + 1$ for all $n \leq 18$, $\Delta_{-1}(y)$ takes on all values of the form $4K$ between the bounds of (2.1).

CROSS-CORRELATION VALUES OF REVERSE SEQUENCES

n	$2^{(n+2)/2}$	$\max_y \{\Delta_{-1}(y)\}$	$\min_y \{\Delta_{-1}(y)\}$	L_n
3	5.7	4	-4	3
4	8	8	-4	4
5	11.3	12	-8	6
6	16	16	-12	8
7	22.6	20	-20	11
8	32	32	-28	16
9	45.3	44	-44	23
10	64	64	-60	32
11	90.5	88	-88	45
12	128	128	-124	64
13	181.02	180	-180	91
14	256	256	-252	128
15	362.0	360	-360	181
16	512	512	-508	256
17	724.1	724	-720	362
18	1024	1024	-1020	512

TABLE 2-1

LEMMA 2-5:

$$\sum_{y \in GF(2^n)} \{\Delta_r(y)\} = 2^n$$

$$\sum_{y \in GF(2^n)} \{\Delta_r(y)\}^2 = 2^{2n}$$

proof:

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{y \in GF(2^n)} \{\Delta_r(y)\} \\ &= \sum_{y \in GF(2^n)} \sum_{x \in GF(2^n)} (-1)^{\text{Tr}(xy + x^r)} \\ &= \sum_{x \in GF(2^n)} (-1)^{\text{Tr}(x^r)} \sum_{y \in GF(2^n)} (-1)^{\text{Tr}(xy)} = 2^n \end{aligned}$$

The last step follows from Lemma 1-1 since the second sum is equal to 0 for all $x \neq 0$ and 2^n for $x = 0$.

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{y \in GF(2^n)} \{\Delta_r(y)\}^2 \\ &= \sum_{y \in GF(2^n)} \sum_{x \in GF(2^n)} (-1)^{\text{Tr}(xy + x^r)} \sum_{z \in GF(2^n)} (-1)^{\text{Tr}(zy + z^r)} \\ &= \sum_{x, z \in GF(2^n)} (-1)^{\text{Tr}(x^r + z^r)} \sum_{y \in GF(2^n)} (-1)^{\text{Tr}\{(x + z)y\}} \end{aligned}$$

Again from Lemma 1-1, the second sum is equal to 2^n if $x + z = 0$ or $x = z$ and the sum is equal to zero if $x + z \neq 0$. Hence,

$$\begin{aligned} &= 2^n \sum_{\substack{x, z \in GF(2^n) \\ x = z}} (-1)^{\text{Tr}(x^r + z^r)} = 2^n \sum_{\substack{x, z \in GF(2^n) \\ x = z}} 1 \\ &= 2^{2n} \end{aligned}$$

QED

Lemma 2-5 is useful in evaluating the distribution of $\Delta_r(y)$. In order to obtain the higher moment identities, it

is necessary to evaluate the term

$$\sum_{x_1} \sum_{x_2} \dots \sum_{x_k} (-1)^{\text{Tr}(x_1^r + x_2^r + \dots + x_k^r)} \\ x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_k = 0$$

However, it is not trivial to evaluate the above sum.

Let C and C' be the $(2^n-1, 2n)$ and the $(2^n-1, 2^n-2n-1)$ cyclic codes whose generator polynomials are $(x^{2^n-1} + 1)/x^{2n}f_1(1/x)f_r(1/x)$ and $f_1(x)f_r(x)$ respectively.

Let a_1 and b_1 be the number of codewords of weight 1 in C and C' respectively. Since C' is a subcode of a cyclic Hamming code, $b_1 = 0 = b_2$. Therefore, following power moment identities of Pless [18] must hold.

$$\sum_j j a_j = 2^{2n-1}(2^n-1)$$

$$\sum_j j^2 a_j = 2^{2n-2}(2^n-1)2^n = 2^{3n-2}(2^n-1)$$

These two power moment identities and two identities of Lemma 2-5 become identical with the substitution of j for w and a_j for $\eta(w)$. The two quantities w and $\eta(w)$ are as given in (1.9)

2. GREATEST COMMON DIVISORS

For $\Delta_r(y)$ to be a legitimate cross-correlation function between two maximal sequences, it is necessary and sufficient that $\text{GCD}(r, 2^n-1) = 1$. Hence, in the analysis of $\Delta_r(y)$ for some r , it must first be shown that $\text{GCD}(r, 2^n-1) = 1$. However, for the remainder of this paper, when $\Delta_r(y)$

is mentioned and no specific form is assumed for r , it is understood that $\text{GCD}(r, 2^n - 1) = 1$. The following three lemmas are well known results on greatest common divisors.

LEMMA 2-6:

$$\text{GCD}(2^m - 1, 2^n - 1) = 2^{\text{GCD}(m, n)} - 1$$

LEMMA 2-7:

$$\text{GCD}(2^m + 1, 2^n - 1) = 1 \text{ if and only if } n/\text{GCD}(m, n) \text{ is odd.}$$

LEMMA 2-8:

$$\text{If } m \text{ and } n/\text{GCD}(n, k) \text{ are both odd, } \text{GCD}\left(\frac{2^{mk} + 1}{2^k + 1}, 2^n - 1\right) = 1.$$

Lemma 2-7 was assumed in Theorems 1-3 and 1-5.

Lemma 2-8 with $m = 3$ was assumed in Theorems 1-4 and 1-6 since $(2^{3k} + 1)/(2^k + 1) = 2^{2k} - 2^k + 1$. Using Lemmas 2-6 and 2-7, it is easy to show that the following decimations are all proper. That is, $\text{GCD}(r_i, 2^n - 1) = 1$.

$$r_1 = 2^{n/2+1} - 1 \quad n \equiv 0 \pmod{4} \quad (2.3)$$

$$r_2 = (2^{n/4} - 1)(2^{n/2} + 1) + 2 \quad n \equiv 0 \pmod{4} \quad (2.4)$$

$$r_3 = 2^{n/2} + 3 \quad n \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \quad (2.5)$$

$$r_4 = 2^{n/2} + 2^{n/2-1} - 1 \quad n \equiv 2 \pmod{4} \quad (2.6)$$

$$r_5 = 2^{n/2+2} - 3 \quad n \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \quad (2.7)$$

$$r_6 = 2^{n/2+2} + 2^{n/2} - 3 \quad n \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \quad (2.8)$$

In CHAPTER III $\Delta_{r_i}(y)$ for these 6 decimations are analyzed.

In CHAPTER IV decimations of the form $(2^{mk}+1)/(2^k+1)$ for m and $n/\text{GCD}(n,k)$ odd are considered. However, due to Lemma 2-3, some results can be obtained on 3-valued $\Delta_r(y)$ for decimations of this type. For $m = n$ odd, $\Delta_r(y)$ is a 3-valued function as given in the following lemma.

LEMMA 2-9:

For n odd and $r = (2^{nk}+1)/(2^k+1)$, $\Delta_r(y)$ takes on 3 values. Both Δ_r and $n(\Delta_r)$ are given by (1.8).

proof:

From Lemma 2-8, $\text{GCD}(r, 2^n-1) = 1$. Let $r' = 2^k + 1$. From Lemma 2-7, $\text{GCD}(r', 2^n-1) = 1$. $rr' = 2^{nk} + 1 \equiv 2 \pmod{2^n-1}$. The result follows immediately from Theorem 1-5 and Lemma 2-3. QED

In order to find the multiplicative inverse of $r = 2^{2k} - 2^k + 1 = (2^{3k}+1)/(2^k+1)$ modulo 2^n-1 when $\text{GCD}(n,3) = 1$, consider the following.

Let m' be the multiplicative inverse of 3 mod n . m' exists if and only if $\text{GCD}(n,3) = 1$. m' is odd if n is even. If n is odd, m' can be even or odd.

Define m so that

$$\begin{aligned} m &= m' \text{ when } m' \text{ is odd and} \\ m &= n - m' \text{ when } m' \text{ is even.} \end{aligned} \tag{2.9}$$

Note that m is always odd.

Now consider $r' = (2^{3km}+1)/(2^{3k}+1)$ where m is given

by (2.9). Then,

$$r \cdot r' = \frac{2^{3k+1}}{2^k + 1} \frac{2^{3km+1}}{2^{3k} + 1} = \frac{2^{3km+1}}{2^k + 1}.$$

When m' is odd, $3m = 3m' = 1 + qn$ for some q .

$$r \cdot r' = \frac{2^{k+qnk+1}}{2^k + 1} = \frac{2^k (2^n)^{qk+1}}{2^k + 1} \equiv 1 \pmod{2^n - 1}$$

When m' is even, $3m = 3(n-m') = 3n - (1+qn) = -1 + (3-q)n$ for some q .

$$\begin{aligned} r \cdot r' &= \frac{2^{-k+(3-q)nk+1}}{2^k + 1} = \frac{2^{-k} (2^n)^{(3-q)k+1}}{2^k + 1} \\ &\equiv \frac{2^{-k} + 1}{2^k + 1} \pmod{2^n - 1} \\ &\equiv 2^{n-k} \pmod{2^n - 1} \end{aligned}$$

Let $3k \equiv j \pmod{n}$ and define t so that

$$\begin{aligned} t &= n-j && \text{when } j > (n-1)/2 \text{ and} \\ t &= j && \text{when } j \leq (n-1)/2 \end{aligned} \tag{2.10}$$

For this choice of t , $r' = (2^{3km+1})/(2^{3k}+1)$ and $r'' = (2^{mt}+1)/(2^t+1)$ belong to the same cyclotomic coset modulo 2^n-1 and $r \cdot r'' \equiv 2^i \pmod{2^n-1}$ for some i . Since $\text{GCD}(n,3) = 1$, $\text{GCD}(n,k) = \text{GCD}(n,3k) = \text{GCD}(n,t)$. Hence, the following lemma follows directly from Theorem 1-6 and Lemma 2-3.

LEMMA 2-10:

Suppose $\text{GCD}(3,n) = 1$, $\text{GCD}(t,n) = e$ and n/e is odd. Let $r'' = (2^{mt}+1)/(2^t+1)$. Then, $\Delta_{r''}(y)$ takes on 3 values. $\Delta_{r''}$ and $n(\Delta_{r''})$ are given by (1.8),

where

$$m = \begin{cases} m' & \text{when } m' \text{ is odd} \\ n - m' & \text{when } m' \text{ is even} \end{cases}$$

m' is the multiplicative inverse of 3 mod n .

3. COMPUTED RESULTS FOR 3-, 4- and 5-VALUED $\Delta_r(y)$

Before proceeding to CHAPTER III, we give the complete results on proper cyclotomic coset leaders r that lead to 3-valued, 4-valued and 5-valued cross-correlation functions $\Delta_r(y)$ for $n \leq 16$. They are listed in Tables 2-2, 2-3 and 2-4 respectively. Two coset leaders r and q are given in pair if $rq \equiv 2^i \pmod{2^n-1}$ for some i , $0 \leq i \leq n-1$. If $r^2 \equiv 2^i \pmod{2^n-1}$ for some i , $0 \leq i \leq n-1$, the coset leader r is given by itself. The letters following coset leaders give theorems, lemmas and conjectures that explain the corresponding $\Delta_r(y)$. The following notations are used:

A - Theorem 1-5	B - Theorem 1-6
C - Theorem 2-9	D - Theorem 2-10
E - Conj. 4-5 (1)	F - Conj. 4-5 (2) or (3)
G - Conj. 4-5 (4)	H - Conj. 4-5 (5)
J - Theorem 3-6	K - Theorem 3-7
L - Theorem 3-5	M - Theorem 3-8
N - Conj. 4-6 (5)	\emptyset - Lemma 4-1
P - Conj. 4-3	Q - Conj. 4-4
R - Conj. 4-6 (1)	S - Conj. 4-6 (2)
T - Conj. 4-6 (3)	U - Conj. 4-6 (4)

3-VALUED $\Delta_T(y)$

n = 3	3ABCDEF			
n = 5	3ABD- 11BCD	5AF-	7CE	
n = 6	5A - 13BGH			
n = 7	3AB- 43CD	5A - 27C	9A - 15C	
	11DE- 13B	23B - 29DF		
n = 9	3AB- 171C	5A - 103C	9A - 57BC	
	13B - 59	17A - 31C	19EF- 27	
	47B - 87			
n = 10	5A - 205	13BD- 79BD	17A - 181	
	25 - 41H	49G - 107		
n = 11	3AB- 683CD	5A - 411C	9A - 231C	
	13B - 315D	17A - 365C	33A - 65C	
	35E - 117	43D - 143B	57B - 413D	
	95B - 151D	107 - 249F		
n = 12	17A - 241B			
n = 13	3AB- 2731CD	5A - 1639C	9A - 911C	
	13B - 635D	17A - 1453C	33A - 1243C	
	57B - 723D	65A - 127C	67E - 367	
	71F - 347	171D - 241B	191B - 1245D	
	287B - 1691D			

n = 14	5A - 3277	13B - 1339D	17A - 2893
	65A - 2773	113 - 145H	193G - 1613
	205D - 241B	319B - 979D	
n = 15	3AB-10923C	5A - 6555C	9A - 3641C
	13B - 2523	17A - 1935C	33A - 993BC
	57B - 575B	65A - 3529C	129A - 255C
	131E - 4815	241B - 3671	383B - 4791
	1371 - 2033F		

TABLE 2-2

4-VALUED $\Delta_T(y)$

n = 4	7JK		
n = 8	31J - 91L	53K	
n = 12	127J -1387L	457K	
n = 16	511J -21931L	3857K	7399L - 9947L
	11093L -13133L		

TABLE 2-3

5-VALUED $\Delta_r(y)$

n = 6	11M - 23L			
n = 8	19M - 47L	23L - 61N		
n = 9	110PS - 93P	23R - 25RT	43P - 1070P	
	1090P			
n = 10	35M - 95L	101L - 157L		
n = 11	110Q- 189Q	25 - 87	37 - 83	
	47R - 49R	81 - 139	1210Q- 423Q	
	141 - 363	171Q - 2050Q	187 - 427	
	2210Q- 343Q	229 - 295	2350Q- 429Q	
	311			
n = 12	67M - 191L	73 - 731	253N - 599L	
n = 13	110Q- 7450Q	19S - 485	43Q - 381Q	
	95R - 97R	113T - 363	147 - 949	
	161 - 973	2050Q- 9190Q	225 - 405	
	4450Q- 4970Q	483Q - 1645Q	631 - 1707	
	683Q - 1643Q	749Q - 1367Q	869Q - 1461Q	
	939Q - 953Q			
n = 14	131M - 383L			
n = 15	110P- 2979	43P - 765P	113U - 1451	
	171P - 5557	191R - 193R	2050P- 4965	
	683P - 5805P	8930P- 3229	995 - 19430P	

1119 - 3543	1275P - 6605P	1913P - 2895P
2295P - 3755	2521 - 6827	2731P - 3277P
2981 - 5463	3643 - 6557P	5783P - 6567P
5813P		

n = 16	259M - 767L	383L - 13261L	1021N - 9949L
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TABLE 2-4

CHAPTER III

MULTI-VALUED CROSS-CORRELATION FUNCTIONS I

1. PRELIMINARY

As mentioned in CHAPTER I, generally it is difficult to evaluate $\Delta_r(y)$ algebraically. The case $r = 2^k + 1$, $n/\text{GCD}(n,k)$ odd, has been solved by Gold, Kasami and Solomon. The case $r = 2^{2k} - 2^k + 1$, $n/\text{GCD}(n,k)$ odd, has been solved by Welch. In this chapter we consider the case:

$$n = 2m \text{ and } r \equiv 2^k \pmod{2^m - 1}.$$

It can be shown that $\Delta_r(y)$ is restricted to the form:

$$\Delta_r(y) = 2^m(j-1), \quad 0 \leq j \leq J \text{ for some } J.$$

j is the number of distinct solutions to two equations over $\text{GF}(2^n)$. Hence, the upper bound J for $\Delta_r(y)$ can be determined immediately by finding the degrees of equations. In general, however, equations are of high degree and the explicit evaluation of $\Delta_r(y)$ is not trivial.

As mentioned in CHAPTER II, the following six decimations are analyzed in Section 2 of this chapter.

$$r_1 = 2^{n/2+1} - 1 \quad n \equiv 0 \pmod{4} \quad (3.1)$$

$$r_2 = (2^{n/4} - 1)(2^{n/2} + 1) + 2 \quad n \equiv 0 \pmod{4} \quad (3.2)$$

$$r_3 = 2^{n/2} + 3 \quad n \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \quad (3.3)$$

$$r_4 = 2^{n/2} + 2^{n/2-1} - 1 \quad n \equiv 2 \pmod{4} \quad (3.4)$$

$$r_5 = 2^{n/2+2} - 3 \quad n \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \quad (3.5)$$

$$r_6 = 2^{n/2+2} + 2^{n/2} - 3 \quad n \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \quad (3.6)$$

They are analyzed in Theorems 3-6, 3-7, ... , 3-11 respectively.

In Section 3 computed results are listed. Before the main theorem of this chapter, Theorem 3-5, is introduced, we consider the two preliminary lemmas and two results in solving equations over $GF(2^n)$.

LEMMA 3-1:

When $n = 2m$, non-zero element x of $GF(2^n)$ can be represented as $x = \alpha\beta$, where $\alpha \in GF(2^m)$, $\alpha \neq 0$, and β is (2^m+1) -st root of unity in $GF(2^{2m})$.

proof:

Let $x \in GF(2^{2m})$, $x \neq 0$.

$$2^{2m} = 2^{m-1}(2^m + 1) + 2^{m-1}(2^m - 1)$$

$$x = x^{2^{2m}} = x^{2^{m-1}(2^m+1)} \cdot x^{2^{m-1}(2^m-1)}$$

Letting $\alpha = x^{2^{m-1}(2^m+1)}$ and $\beta = x^{2^{m-1}(2^m-1)}$, it is easy to see that $\alpha^{2^m-1} = 1$ and hence $\alpha \in GF(2^m)$ and that $\beta^{2^m+1} = 1$.

To show the uniqueness of the representation, let ω be a primitive element of $GF(2^{2m})$. Then, elements α and β can be expressed as

$$\alpha = \omega^{(2^m+1)i}, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, 2^m-1$$

$$\text{and } \beta = \omega^{(2^m-1)j}, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, 2^m+1.$$

Assume that there exist elements α, β, α' and β' such that $\alpha\beta = x = \alpha'\beta'$. This says that given some i and j ,

there exist $(2^m+1)s = \alpha'$ and $(2^m-1)t = \beta'$ such that

$$\omega(2^m+1)i \omega(2^m-1)j = \omega(2^m+1)s \omega(2^m-1)t,$$

which implies

$$\begin{aligned} (2^m+1)i + (2^m-1)j &\equiv (2^m+1)s + (2^m-1)t \pmod{2^{2m}-1} \\ (2^m+1)(i-s) &\equiv (2^m-1)(t-j) \pmod{2^{2m}-1} \end{aligned} \quad (3.7)$$

Let $i \geq s$ without loss of generality. Note that

$0 \leq (i-s) \leq 2^m-2$ and $|t-j| \leq 2^m$. From (3.7) we have

$$\begin{aligned} (2^m+1)(i-s) &= (2^m-1)(t-j) + k(2^{2m}-1) \\ &= (2^m-1)\{k(2^m+1) + (t-j)\} \end{aligned} \quad (3.8)$$

for some k , $k = 0$ or $k = 1$. (3.8) implies that

$$\text{LCM}(2^m+1, 2^m-1) \leq (2^m+1)(2^m-2) = 2^{2m} - 2^m - 2.$$

But since $\text{GCD}(2^m+1, 2^m-1) = 1$, we must have

$$\text{LCM}(2^m+1, 2^m-1) = (2^m+1)(2^m-1) = 2^{2m} - 1.$$

This is a contradiction. The only way in which (3.8) holds without contradiction is $i = s$, $t = j$ and $k = 0$. Or $\alpha = \alpha'$ and $\beta = \beta'$. QED

LEMMA 3-2:

Let $n = 2m$, $\alpha \in \text{GF}(2^m)$ and $\beta \in \text{GF}(2^{2m})$. Then

$$\text{Tr}_1^{2m}(\alpha\beta) = \text{Tr}_1^m\{\alpha(\beta + \beta^{2^m})\}.$$

proof:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Tr}_1^{2m}(\alpha\beta) &= \sum_{j=0}^{2m-1} (\alpha\beta)^{2^j} \\ &= \sum_{j=0}^{m-1} (\alpha\beta)^{2^j} + \sum_{j=m}^{2m-1} (\alpha\beta)^{2^j} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \sum_{j=0}^{m-1} (\alpha\beta)^{2^j} + \sum_{j=0}^{m-1} (\alpha\beta)^{2^j} 2^{2^m} \\
&= \sum_{j=0}^{m-1} (\alpha\beta)^{2^j} + \sum_{j=0}^{m-1} (\alpha\beta^{2^m})^{2^j} \\
&= \sum_{j=0}^{m-1} \{\alpha(\beta + \beta^{2^m})\}^{2^j} \\
&= \text{Tr}_1^m \{\alpha(\beta + \beta^{2^m})\}
\end{aligned}$$

QED

In order to derive an explicit formula for $\Delta_r(y)$, it becomes necessary to find the number of distinct solutions to the equations over $\text{GF}(2^n)$. Following two lemmas are useful in finding the number of solutions.

LEMMA 3-3: McEliece [19]

The equation $x^{2^k} + x = y$, $y \in \text{GF}(2^n)$, $k < n$, has either no roots or 2^e roots in $\text{GF}(2^n)$. It has 2^e roots if and only if $\text{Tr}_e^n(y) = 0$, where $e = \text{GCD}(n, k)$.

LEMMA 3-4:

A polynomial $g(x)$ is a repeated factor of a polynomial $f(x)$ if and only if $g(x)$ divides $\text{GCD}(f(x), f'(x))$, where $f'(x)$ is the formal derivative of $f(x)$.

2. $\Delta_r(y)$ FOR $r \equiv 2^k \pmod{2^{n/2}-1}$

The crux for analyzing this type of $\Delta_r(y)$ is the following theorem, which was suggested by Welch.

THEOREM 3-5:

If $n = 2m$, $\text{GCD}(r, 2^n - 1) = 1$ and $r \equiv 2^k \pmod{2^m - 1}$ for some k , $0 \leq k \leq m-1$, then $\Delta_r(y) = 2^m(j-1)$, $0 \leq j \leq J$, for some j and J .

proof:

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta_r(y) &= \sum_{x \in \text{GF}(2^n)} (-1)^{\text{Tr}(xy + x^r)} \\ &= 1 + \sum_{\substack{x \in \text{GF}(2^n) \\ x \neq 0}} (-1)^{\text{Tr}(xy + x^r)}\end{aligned}$$

Using Lemma 3-1, let $x = \alpha\beta$ where $\alpha \in \text{GF}(2^m)$, $\alpha \neq 0$, and $\beta^{2^m+1} = 1$, $\beta \in \text{GF}(2^{2m})$. Then,

$$\Delta_r(y) = 1 + \sum_{\substack{\beta \in \text{GF}(2^{2m}) \\ \beta^{2^m+1} = 1}} \sum_{\substack{\alpha \in \text{GF}(2^m) \\ \alpha \neq 0}} (-1)^{\text{Tr}_1^{2m}\{(y\alpha\beta + \alpha^r\beta^r)\}}$$

Furthermore, let $r \equiv s \pmod{2^m+1}$.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Tr}_1^{2m}(y\alpha\beta + \alpha^r\beta^r) &= \text{Tr}_1^{2m}(y\alpha\beta + \alpha^{2^k}\beta^s) \\ &= \text{Tr}_1^{2m}\{y\alpha\beta + (\alpha^{2^k}\beta^s)2^{n-k}\} \\ &= \text{Tr}_1^{2m}\{y\alpha\beta + \alpha\beta s^{2^{-k}}\}\end{aligned}$$

Substituting this into the above,

$$\Delta_r(y) = 1 + \sum_{\substack{\beta \in \text{GF}(2^{2m}) \\ \beta^{2^m+1} = 1}} \sum_{\substack{\alpha \in \text{GF}(2^m) \\ \alpha \neq 0}} (-1)^{\text{Tr}_1^{2m}\{\alpha(y\beta + \beta s^{2^{-k}})\}}$$

Since there are 2^m+1 (2^m+1) -st roots of unity in $\text{GF}(2^{2m})$, the above reduces to:

$$\Delta_r(y) = 1 + \sum_{\beta \in GF(2^{2m})} \sum_{\alpha \in GF(2^m)} (-1)^{\text{Tr}_1^{2m}(\alpha(y\beta + \beta s^{2^{-k}}))} \beta^{2^m+1} - 1$$

$$= (2^m + 1).$$

From Lemma 3-2,

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Tr}_1^{2m}(\alpha(y\beta + \beta s^{2^{-k}})) \\ &= \text{Tr}_1^m(\alpha(y\beta + \beta s^{2^{-k}} + y^{2^m}\beta^{2^m} + \beta^{2^m}s^{2^{-k}})) \\ &= \text{Tr}_1^m(\alpha(y\beta + \beta s^{2^{-k}} + y^{2^m}\beta^{-1} + \beta^{-s^{2^{-k}}})) \end{aligned}$$

Note that $(y\beta + \beta s^{2^{-k}} + y^{2^m}\beta^{-1} + \beta^{-s^{2^{-k}}}) \in GF(2^m)$. Let $N_\beta(y)$ denote the number of distinct solutions β in $GF(2^{2m})$ to (3.9) and (3.10).

$$y\beta + \beta s^{2^{-k}} + y^{2^m}\beta^{-1} + \beta^{-s^{2^{-k}}} = 0 \quad (3.9)$$

$$\beta^{2^m+1} = 1 \quad (3.10)$$

where

$$y \in GF(2^{2m}).$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_r(y) &= -2^m + \sum_{\beta \in GF(2^{2m})} \sum_{\alpha \in GF(2^m)} (-1)^{\text{Tr}_1^m(\alpha(y\beta + \beta s^{2^{-k}} + y^{2^m}\beta^{-1} + \beta^{-s^{2^{-k}}}))} \beta^{2^m+1} - 1 \end{aligned}$$

Then using Lemma 1-1,

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_r(y) &= -2^m + 2^m N_\beta(y) \\ &= 2^m \{N_\beta(y) - 1\} \end{aligned} \quad (3.11)$$

QED

Raising (3.9) to the power 2^k , we obtain

$$y^{2^k} \beta^{2^k} + \beta^s + y^{2^{m+k}} \beta^{-2^k} + \beta^{-s} = 0.$$

Multiplying by β^j and raising to the power 2^i for some j and i , the above equation can be transformed to the form:

$$z_1 \beta^{e_1} + z_2 \beta^{e_2} + z_3 \beta^{e_3} + z_4 = 0 \quad (3.12)$$

where

e_1, e_2 and e_3 are non-negative integers with at least one odd e_i and z_1 is some power of y .

Let $e_{\max} = \max\{e_1, e_2, e_3\}$. Note that $e_{\max} \leq 2 \cdot \max\{|s|, 2^k\}$.

Then $\Delta_r(y) \leq 2^m(e_{\max} - 1)$ since (3.12) can have at most e_{\max} roots for β in $GF(2^{2m})$. This upper bound on $\Delta_r(y)$ gives the bound on the minimum weight of the corresponding $(2^{2m}-1, 4m)$ cyclic code.

$$w_{\min} \geq (2^{2m} + 2^m - e_{\max} \cdot 2^m) / 2 \quad (3.13)$$

From (3.11), $\min_y \Delta_r(y) = -2^m$. This gives the upper bound on the weight of the cyclic code.

$$w_{\max} \leq (2^{2m} + 2^m) / 2 \quad (3.14)$$

From (3.11), $\Delta_r(y)$ is negative if and only if $N_\beta(y) = 0$.

In view of Lemma 2-5, there must exist at least one y in $GF(2^{2m})$ such that $N_\beta(y) = 0$. This implies that the upper bound in (3.14) is always achieved.

Therefore, if $n = 2m$, $\text{GCD}(r, 2^n - 1) = 1$, $r \equiv 2^k \pmod{2^m - 1}$ and $r \equiv s \pmod{2^m + 1}$, the following bounds must hold for $\Delta_r(y)$ and weight w of the corresponding $(2^{2m}-1, 4m)$

cyclic code. Furthermore, the lower bound for $\Delta_r(y)$ and the upper bound for w are always attained.

$$-2^m \leq \Delta_r(y) \leq 2^m(e_{\max} - 1) \quad (3.15)$$

$$2^{2m-1} + 2^{m-1} - e_{\max} \cdot 2^{m-1} \leq w \leq 2^{2m-1} + 2^{m-1} \quad (3.16)$$

e_{\max} is itself bounded by:

$$e_{\max} \leq 2 \cdot \max\{|s|, 2^k\}.$$

We are now in a position to analyze decimations (3.1) through (3.6). They are considered in Theorems 3-6 through 3-11 respectively.

THEOREM 3-6:

If $n \equiv 0 \pmod{4}$, $n = 2m$ and $r = 2^{m+1} - 1$, $\Delta_r(y)$ is a 4-valued function. Δ_r and $\eta(\Delta_r)$ are given by:

Δ_r	$\eta(\Delta_r)$
2^{m+1}	$(2^{2m-1} - 2^{m-1})/3$
2^m	2^m
0	$2^{2m-1} - 2^{m-1}$
-2^m	$(2^{2m} - 2^m)/3$

proof:

From (2.3), $\text{GCD}(r, 2^n - 1) = 1$.

$$r = 2(2^m - 1) + 1 \equiv 1 \pmod{2^m - 1}$$

$$r = 2(2^m + 1) - 3 \equiv -3 \pmod{2^m + 1}$$

With $k = 0$, $s = -3$ and $n = 2m$, (3.9) becomes:

$$y\beta + \beta^{-3} + y^{2^m}\beta^{-1} + \beta^3 = 0 \quad (3.17)$$

Multiplying (3.17) by β^3 ,

$$\beta^6 + y\beta^4 + y^{2^m}\beta^2 + 1 = 0 \quad (3.18)$$

Raising (3.18) to the power 2^{-1} or equivalently 2^{n-1} , $N_\beta(y)$ becomes the number of distinct solutions β in $GF(2^{2m})$ to (3.19) and (3.20):

$$\beta^3 + y^{1/2}\beta^2 + y^{2^{m-1}}\beta + 1 = 0 \quad (3.19)$$

$$\beta^{2^m+1} = 1 \quad (3.20)$$

Since (3.19) is of degree 3, it can have no root, one root or three roots. Suppose (3.19) has three distinct roots: β_1 , β_2 and β_3 . Furthermore, suppose β_1 and β_2 satisfy (3.20). Then, since $\beta_1\beta_2\beta_3 = 1$,

$$\begin{aligned} \beta_3^{2^m+1} &= ((\beta_1\beta_2)^{-1})^{2^m+1} = (\beta_1^{2^m}\beta_2^{2^m})^{2^m+1} \\ &= (\beta_1^{2^m+1})^{2^m}(\beta_2^{2^m+1})^{2^m} = 1. \end{aligned}$$

This says that β_3 also satisfies (3.20). Therefore, $N_\beta(y) = 2$ if and only if there exist one repeated root of multiplicity 2 and another root.

Let N_1 be the number of times $N_\beta(y) = 1$ as y ranges over $GF(2^{2m})$.

Let $f(\beta) = \beta^3 + y^{1/2}\beta^2 + y^{2^{m-1}}\beta + 1$ and $f'(\beta)$ be its formal derivative. From Lemma 3-4, $g(\beta)$ is a repeated factor of $f(\beta)$ if and only if $g(\beta)$ divides $\text{GCD}(f(\beta), f'(\beta))$.

$$f'(\beta) = \beta^2 + y^{2^m-1}$$

By the Euclid's algorithm, it is easy to show that

$$\text{GCD}(f(\beta), f'(\beta)) = \text{constant if } y^{2^m+1} \neq 1 \text{ and}$$

$$\text{GCD}(f(\beta), f'(\beta)) = \beta^2 + y^{2^m-1} \text{ if } y^{2^m+1} = 1.$$

Hence, $f(\beta)$ has a repeated factor if and only if $y^{2^m+1} = 1$.

Now, let $y^{2^m+1} = 1$ and factor $f(\beta)$.

$$f(\beta) = (\beta + y^{\frac{1}{2}})(\beta + y^{2^{m-2}})^2$$

Note that $f(\beta) = 0$ has a repeated root of multiplicity 3

when $y^{\frac{1}{2}} = y^{2^{m-2}}$ or

$$y = y^{2^{m-1}} \quad (3.21)$$

(3.21) says $y \in \text{GF}(2^{m-1})$. Since $y \in \text{GF}(2^{2m})$ and

$\text{GCD}(2m, m-1) = 1$, $y \in \text{GF}(2^{2m}) \cap \text{GF}(2^{m-1}) = \text{GF}(2)$. Hence,

$f(\beta) = 0$ has a repeated root of multiplicity 3 if and only if $y = 1$.

Therefore, $f(\beta) = 0$ has one repeated root of multiplicity 2

$$\beta_1 = y^{2^{m-2}} \quad (3.22)$$

and another root

$$\beta_2 = y^{\frac{1}{2}} \quad (3.23)$$

if and only if $y^{2^m+1} = 1$, $y \neq 1$.

The root given by (3.22) satisfies (3.20) since

$y^{2^m+1} = 1$. The root given by (3.23) satisfies (3.20) since

$y^{2^m+1} = 1$ and 2 does not divide 2^m+1 .

Therefore, $N_\beta(y) = 2$ and $\Delta_r(y) = 2^m$ if and only if $y^{2^m+1} = 1$, $y \neq 1$. Since there exist 2^m+1 (2^m+1) -st roots of unity including a unit element in $GF(2^{2m})$, $N_2 = 2^m$.

Using Lemma 2-5, the following equalities must hold.

$$2^{m+1} \cdot N_3 + 2^m 2^m - 2^m \cdot N_0 = 2^{2m} \quad (3.24)$$

$$2^{2m+2} \cdot N_3 + 2^{2m} 2^m + 2^{2m} \cdot N_0 = 2^{4m} \quad (3.25)$$

Dividing (3.24) by 2^m and (3.25) by 2^{2m} , we obtain

$$2 \cdot N_3 - N_0 = 0 \quad (3.26)$$

$$4 \cdot N_3 + N_0 = 2^{2m} - 2^m \quad (3.27)$$

Solving for N_0 and N_3 in (3.26) and (3.27),

$$N_0 = (2^{2m} - 2^m)/3$$

$$N_3 = (2^{2m-1} - 2^{m-1})/3$$

Since $N_0 + N_1 + N_2 + N_3 = 2^{2m}$,

$$\begin{aligned} N_1 &= 2^{2m} - (2^{2m} - 2^m)/3 - 2^m - (2^{2m-1} - 2^{m-1})/3 \\ &= 2^{2m-1} - 2^{m-1} \end{aligned} \quad \text{QED}$$

THEOREM 3-7:

If $n = 4m$ and $r = (2^m-1)(2^{2m}+1) + 2$, $\Delta_r(y)$ is a 4-valued function. Δ_r and $\eta(\Delta_r)$ are given by:

Δ_r	$\eta(\Delta_r)$
2^{3m}	2^m
2^{2m}	$2^{4m-1} - 2^{3m-1}$
0	$2^{3m} - 2^m$
-2^{2m}	$2^{4m-1} - 2^{3m-1}$

proof:

From (2.4), $\text{GCD}(r, 2^n - 1) = 1$.

$$r \equiv 2 \pmod{2^{2m} + 1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} r &= (2^m - 1)\{(2^m + 1)(2^m - 1) + 2\} + 2 \\ &= (2^{2m} - 1)(2^m - 1) + 2^{m+1} \\ &\equiv 2^{m+1} \pmod{2^{2m} - 1} \end{aligned}$$

With $k = m+1$, $s = 2$ and $n = 4m$, (3.9) becomes:

$$y\beta + \beta^{2 \cdot 2^{-m-1}} + y^{2^{2m}} \beta^{-1} + \beta^{-2 \cdot 2^{-m-1}} = 0.$$

$$\text{Or } y\beta + \beta^{2^{-m}} + y^{2^m} \beta^{-1} + \beta^{-2^{-m}} = 0 \quad (3.28)$$

(3.10) becomes:

$$\beta^{2^{2m} + 1} = 1$$

which implies

$$\beta^{-2^{-m}} = \beta^{2^m} \text{ and } \beta^{2^{-m}} = \beta^{-2^m} \quad (3.29)$$

Using (3.29), $N_\beta(y)$ is the number of distinct solutions β in $\text{GF}(2^{4m})$ to (3.30) and (3.31)

$$y\beta + y^{2^{2m}} \beta^{-1} + (\beta + \beta^{-1})^{2^m} = 0 \quad (3.30)$$

$$\beta^{2^{2m} + 1} = 1 \quad (3.31)$$

First, consider the case $y \in \text{GF}(2^{2m})$. (3.30) becomes:

$$y(\beta + \beta^{-1}) = (\beta + \beta^{-1})^{2^m} \quad (3.32)$$

Clearly $\beta = 1$ satisfies (3.32) and (3.31). Hence, we now consider the equation:

$$y = (\beta + \beta^{-1})^{2^m - 1}, \quad y \in \text{GF}(2^{2m}) \quad (3.33)$$

We will show that

1. There exists no solution to (3.33) and (3.31) if $y = 1$ or $y^{2^m + 1} \neq 1$.

2. There exist 2^m distinct solutions to (3.33) and (3.31) if $y^{2^m+1} = 1$, $y \neq 1$.

Raising (3.33) to the power 2^m+1 ,

$$y^{2^m+1} = (\beta + \beta^{-1})^{2^m+1} = 1.$$

Hence, there is no solution to (3.33) if $y^{2^m+1} \neq 1$.

Next, let $y = 1$ in (3.33).

$$1 = (\beta + \beta^{-1})^{2^m-1} \quad (3.34)$$

This says that $(\beta + \beta^{-1}) = \delta$ for some $\delta \in GF(2^m)$, $\delta \neq 0$.

Multiplying β on both sides,

$$\beta^2 + \delta\beta + 1 = 0. \quad (3.35)$$

Transform (3.35) by introducing a new variable ω :

$$\omega = \delta^{-1}\beta$$

Then $\beta = \delta\omega$ and (3.35) becomes:

$$\delta^2\omega^2 + \delta^2\omega + 1 = 0.$$

$$\text{Or } \omega^2 + \omega = \delta^{-2} \quad (3.36)$$

Raising both sides of (3.36) to the power 2^i and adding

$i = 0, 1, \dots, 2m-1$, we obtain:

$$\sum_{i=0}^{2m-1} (\omega^2 + \omega)^{2^i} = \sum_{i=0}^{2m-1} (\delta^{-2})^{2^i}. \quad (3.37)$$

(3.37) reduces to:

$$\omega^{2^{2m}} + \omega = \text{Tr}_1^{2m}(\delta^{-2}).$$

Note that

$$\text{Tr}_1^{2m}(\delta^{-2}) = \text{Tr}_1^{2m}(\delta^{-1}) = 2 \cdot \text{Tr}_1^m(\delta^{-1}) = 0$$

since $\delta^{-1} \in GF(2^m)$.

Hence, $\omega \in GF(2^{2m})$. Since $\beta = \delta\omega$, this implies that

$\beta \in GF(2^{2m})$. However, $\beta = 1$ is the only solution to (3.31) in $GF(2^{2m})$. Clearly $\beta = 1$ is not a solution to (3.34).

Hence, there is no solution to (3.34) and (3.31).

Now, suppose $y^{2^m+1} = 1$, $y \neq 1$.

Let $y = \omega^{2^m-1}$, $\omega \neq 0$, $\omega \in GF(2^{2m})$. Furthermore, suppose $y = \omega^{2^m-1}$ satisfies (3.33). Then, $y = \delta\omega^{2^m-1}$ satisfies (3.33) for $\delta \in GF(2^m)$, $\delta \neq 0$. Now consider the equation:

$$\beta + \beta^{-1} = \delta\omega. \quad (3.38)$$

Multiplying (3.38) by β on both sides,

$$\beta^2 + \delta\omega\beta + 1 = 0. \quad (3.39)$$

Setting $\beta = (\delta\omega)\lambda$, transform (3.39) to:

$$(\delta\omega)^2\lambda^2 + (\delta\omega)^2\lambda + 1 = 0.$$

$$\text{Or } \lambda^2 + \lambda = (\delta\omega)^{-2} \quad (3.40)$$

From Lemma 3-3, (3.40) has 2 solutions for λ and therefore 2 solutions for β to (3.39) and (3.31) if and only if

$$\text{Tr}_1^{2m}\{(\delta\omega)^{-2}\} = \text{Tr}_1^{2m}\{(\delta\omega)^{-1}\} = 1$$

$$\text{and } \text{Tr}_1^{4m}\{(\delta\omega)^{-2}\} = 0.$$

Clearly $\text{Tr}_1^{4m}\{(\delta\omega)^{-2}\} = 0$ for all $\delta \in GF(2^m)$ and for all $\omega \in GF(2^{2m})$.

Note that

$$\text{Tr}_1^{2m}\{(\delta^{-1}\omega^{-1})\} = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{for } 2^{m-1}-1 \text{ choices of } \delta \\ 1 & \text{for } 2^{m-1} \text{ choices of } \delta \end{cases}$$

$$\text{or } \text{Tr}_1^{2m}\{(\delta^{-1}\omega^{-1})\} = 0 \text{ identically.}$$

Since $\text{Tr}_1^{2m}\{(\delta^{-1}\omega^{-1})\} = \text{Tr}_1^m\{\delta^{-1}(\omega^{-1} + \omega^{-2^m})\}$, $\text{Tr}_1^{2m}\{(\delta^{-1}\omega^{-1})\}$

= 0 identically if and only if $\omega^{-1} = \omega^{-2^m}$ or $\omega = \omega^{2^m}$. But

$\omega^{2^m} = \omega$ implies $y = \omega^{2^m-1} = 1$. However, the case $y = 1$ is being excluded. Therefore, there exist $2 \cdot 2^{m-1} = 2^m$ solutions to (3.33) if $y^{2^m+1} = 1$, $y \neq 1$.

To show that solutions of (3.39) satisfy (3.31), suppose $\text{Tr}_1^{2^m}\{(\delta\omega)^{-1}\} = 1$. Repeatedly raising (3.40) to the power 2^i and adding $i = 0, 1, \dots, 2m-1$, we obtain:

$$\sum_{i=0}^{2m-1} (\lambda^{2^i} + \lambda)^{2^i} = \sum_{i=0}^{2m-1} \{(\delta\omega)^{-2^i}\}^{2^i} \quad (3.41)$$

(3.41) reduces to:

$$\lambda^{2^{2m}} + \lambda = \text{Tr}_1^{2^m}\{(\delta\omega)^{-1}\} = 1 \quad (3.42)$$

Since $\beta = (\delta\omega)\lambda$, $\beta^{2^{2m}} = (\delta\omega)^{2^{2m}} \lambda^{2^{2m}} = (\delta\omega)\lambda^{2^{2m}}$. Using (3.40) and (3.42),

$$\beta^{2^{2m}+1} = (\delta\omega)^2 \lambda(\lambda + 1) = (\lambda^2 + \lambda)^{-1}(\lambda^2 + \lambda) = 1.$$

Hence, for $y \in \text{GF}(2^{2m})$

$N_\beta(y) = 2^{m+1}$ and $\Delta_r(y) = 2^{3m}$ if $y^{2^m+1} = 1$, $y \neq 1$
and $N_\beta(y) = 1$ and $\Delta_r(y) = 0$ otherwise.

In order to finish the proof of Theorem 3-7, we use the result due to Welch.

The system of two equations

$$\begin{aligned} y\beta + y^{2^{2m}}\beta^{-1} + (\beta + \beta^{-1})^{2^m} &= 0 \\ \beta^{2^{2m}+1} &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

where

$$y \in \text{GF}(2^{4m}) - \text{GF}(2^{2m})$$

has at most 2 solutions for β in $\text{GF}(2^{4m})$.

Again let N_1 denote the number of times $N_\beta(y) = 1$ as y ranges over $GF(2^{4m})$. Then, from Lemma 2-5, we must have:

$$2^{3m} \cdot 2^m + 2^{2m} \cdot N_2 - 2^{2m} \cdot N_0 = 2^{4m}$$

$$2^{6m} \cdot 2^m + 2^{4m} \cdot N_2 + 2^{4m} \cdot N_0 = 2^{8m}$$

Solving for N_2 and N_0 ,

$$N_2 = N_0 = 2^{4m-1} - 2^{3m-1}.$$

Hence,

$$N_1 = 2^{4m} - (2^m + N_2 + N_0) = 2^{3m} - 2^m. \quad \text{QED}$$

THEOREM 3-8:

If $n = 2m$ and $r = 2^m + 3$, $\Delta_r(y)$ is at most a 5-valued function.

$$\Delta_r(y) = 2^m(j-1), \quad 0 \leq j \leq 4.$$

proof:

From (2.5), $\text{GCD}(r, 2^n - 1) = 1$.

$$r \equiv 2^2 \pmod{2^m - 1}$$

$$r \equiv 2 \pmod{2^m + 1}$$

With $k = 2$, $s = 2$ and $n = 2m$, (3.9) becomes:

$$y\beta + \beta^{2 \cdot 2^{-2}} + y^{2^m} \beta^{-1} + \beta^{-2 \cdot 2^{-2}} = 0.$$

Raising to the power 2^1 ,

$$y^2 \beta^2 + \beta + y^{2^{m+1}} \beta^{-2} + \beta^{-1} = 0.$$

Multiplying by β^2 , $N_\beta(y)$ becomes the number of distinct solutions β in $GF(2^{2m})$ to (3.43) and (3.44):

$$y^2 \beta^4 + \beta^3 + \beta + y^{2^{m+1}} = 0 \quad (3.43)$$

$$\beta^{2^m+1} = 1 \quad (3.44)$$

Hence, $\Delta_r(y) = 2^m \{N_\beta(y) - 1\}$ where $N_\beta(y) = 0, 1, 2, 3$ or 4 .

QED

A further analysis can be made for this case.

First, consider the case $y \in \text{GF}(2^m)$. Since $y^{2^m} = y$,

(3.43) becomes:

$$y^2 \beta^4 + \beta^3 + \beta + y^2 = 0. \quad (3.45)$$

(3.45) can be factored to become:

$$y^2(\beta + 1)^2(\beta^2 + y^{-2}\beta + 1) = 0. \quad (3.46)$$

Clearly $\beta = 1$ is a solution to (3.46) and (3.44). Now consider the second factor of (3.46):

$$\beta^2 + y^{-2}\beta + 1 = 0 \quad (3.47)$$

(3.47) has either no root or two distinct roots. Transform (3.47) by introducing a new variable ω :

$$\omega = y^2 \beta \quad (3.48)$$

Then $\beta = y^{-2}\omega$ and (3.47) becomes:

$$(y^{-2})^2 \omega^2 + (y^{-2})^2 \omega + 1 = 0. \quad (3.49)$$

Multiplying (3.49) by y^4 , we obtain:

$$\omega^2 + \omega = y^4 \quad (3.50)$$

In order to have solutions for ω in (3.50) and hence solutions for β in (3.47) which also satisfy (3.44), we must have:

$$\text{Tr}_1^m(y^4) = \text{Tr}_1^m(y) = 1$$

$$\text{and } \text{Tr}_1^{2m}(y^4) = \text{Tr}_1^{2m}(y) = 0.$$

This follows again from Lemma 3-3, for if $\text{Tr}_1^m(y) = 0$, two roots for ω in (3.50) belong to $\text{GF}(2^m)$ and hence two roots for β in (3.47) belong to $\text{GF}(2^m)$. But (3.44) has only one solution in $\text{GF}(2^m)$, namely $\beta = 1$. Clearly $\beta = 1$ is not a root of (3.47).

Since $\text{Tr}_1^{2^m}(y) = 0$ for all $y \in \text{GF}(2^m)$, (3.47) has two distinct roots for β if and only if $\text{Tr}_1^m(y) = 1$.

To show that two roots of (3.47) satisfy (3.44), suppose $\text{Tr}_1^m(y) = 1$. Repeatedly raising (3.50) to the power 2^i and adding $i = 0, 1, \dots, m-1$, we obtain:

$$\sum_{i=0}^{m-1} (\omega^2 + \omega)^{2^i} = \sum_{i=0}^{m-1} (y^4)^{2^i} \quad (3.51)$$

(3.51) reduces to:

$$\omega^{2^m} + \omega = \text{Tr}_1^m(y) = 1 \quad (3.52)$$

Since $\beta = y^{-2}\omega$, $\beta^{2^m} = (y^{-2})^{2^m}\omega^{2^m} = y^{-2}\omega^{2^m}$. Using (3.50) and (3.52),

$$\beta^{2^m+1} = (y^{-2})^2 \omega \omega^{2^m} = y^{-4} \omega(\omega + 1) = 1.$$

Therefore, for $y \in \text{GF}(2^m)$

$$N_\beta(y) = 1 \text{ when } \text{Tr}_1^m(y) = 0 \quad (3.53)$$

$$\text{and } N_\beta(y) = 3 \text{ when } \text{Tr}_1^m(y) = 1.$$

Next, consider the case $y \in \text{GF}(2^{2m}) - \text{GF}(2^m)$.

Multiplying (3.43) by y^{-2} , we obtain:

$$\beta^4 + y^{-2}\beta^3 + y^{-2}\beta + y^{2(2^m-1)} = 0 \quad (3.54)$$

Suppose (3.54) has 4 distinct roots: $\beta_1, \beta_2, \beta_3$ and β_4 .

From (3.54) we have

$$\beta_1 \beta_2 \beta_3 \beta_4 = y^{2(2^m-1)}$$

$$\text{or } \beta_4 = (\beta_1 \beta_2 \beta_3)^{-1} \cdot y^{2(2^m-1)}$$

Furthermore, suppose β_1, β_2 and β_3 satisfy (3.44). Then,

$$(\beta_1 \beta_2 \beta_3)^{-1} = (\beta_1 \beta_2 \beta_3)^{2^m}$$

$$\text{and } \beta_4^{2^m+1} = (\beta_1^{2^m+1} \cdot \beta_2^{2^m+1} \cdot \beta_3^{2^m+1})^{2^m} \cdot y^{2(2^{2m}-1)} = 1$$

Hence, β_4 also satisfies (3.44). This implies that if $N_\beta(y) = 3$, (3.54) must have 2 distinct roots and one repeated root of multiplicity 2.

Assume (3.54) has a repeated root β_1 . Dividing (3.54) by $(\beta + \beta_1)^2$, we obtain:

$$\begin{aligned} & (\beta^2 + y^{-2}\beta + \beta_1^2)(\beta + \beta_1)^2 + (\beta_1^2 + 1)y^{-2}\beta \\ & + y^{2(2^m-1)} + \beta_1^4 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, we must have

$$(\beta_1^2 + 1) = 0 \tag{3.55}$$

$$y^{2(2^m-1)} = \beta_1^4 \tag{3.56}$$

(3.55) says $\beta_1 = 1$, which in turn implies $y^{2^m-1} = 1$ from (3.56). This says $y \in \text{GF}(2^m)$.

Hence, if $y \in \text{GF}(2^{2m}) - \text{GF}(2^m)$,

$$N_\beta(y) \neq 3. \tag{3.57}$$

Finally combining (3.53) and (3.57), we obtain:

$$N_{\beta}(y) = 3 \text{ and } \Delta_r(y) = 2^{m+1}$$

if and only if $y \in GF(2^m)$ and $\text{Tr}_1^m(y) = 1$.

For the case $y \in GF(2^{2m}) - GF(2^m)$, (3.54) can be transformed to a more standard form by introducing a new variable σ :

$$\sigma = (\beta + 1)^{-1} \quad (3.58)$$

Then, the number of distinct solutions β to (3.54) and (3.44) is equal to the number of distinct solutions σ in $GF(2^{2m})$ to the system of two equations:

$$\sigma^4 + \lambda \sigma^2 + \lambda \sigma + \lambda y^2 = 0$$

$$\sigma^{2^m} + \sigma = 1$$

where

$$\lambda = (y + y^{2^m})^{-2}, \quad y \in GF(2^{2m}) - GF(2^m).$$

Furthermore, it is conjectured that the following distribution holds for $m > 2$.

Δ_r	$n(\Delta_r)$ for m odd	$n(\Delta_r)$ for m even
$3 \cdot 2^m$	$(2^{2m-3} - 2^{m-2})/3$	$(2^{2m-3} - 2^{m-1})/3$
2^{m+1}	2^{m-1}	2^{m-1}
2^m	$2^{2m-2} - 2^{m-1}$	2^{2m-2}
0	$(2^{2m} + 5 \cdot 2^{m-1})/3$	$(2^{2m} + 2^{m-1})/3$
-2^m	$3(2^{2m-3} - 2^{m-2})$	$(3 \cdot 2^{2m-3} - 2^{m-1})$

REMARK: If $n = 2m$ and $r = 2^{2m-1} - 2^{m-1} + 1$, $\Delta_r(y)$ is at most a 5-valued function. For the proof, let $r' = 2^m + 3$. Then,

$$\begin{aligned} 2 \cdot r \cdot r' &= (2^{2m} - 2^m + 2)(2^m + 3) \\ &\equiv (3 - 2^m)(3 + 2^m) \pmod{2^{2m}-1} \\ &\equiv 2^3 \pmod{2^{2m}-1}. \end{aligned}$$

The desired result follows directly from Lemma 2-3 and Theorem 3-8.

As an alternative proof, consider the following. For this decimation r , it is easy to show that $r \equiv 1 \pmod{2^m-1}$, $r \equiv 2 \pmod{2^m+1}$ and hence $\text{GCD}(r, 2^{2m}-1) = 1$. With $k = 0$, $s = 2$ and $n = 2m$, (3.9) becomes:

$$y\beta + \beta^2 + y^{2^m}\beta^{-1} + \beta^{-2} = 0$$

Multiplying the above by β^2 , we get:

$$\beta^4 + y\beta^3 + y^{2^m}\beta + 1 = 0$$

Therefore, $\Delta_r(y) = 2^m(j-1)$, $0 \leq j \leq 4$.

THEOREM 3-9;

If $n \equiv 2 \pmod{4}$, $n = 2m$ and $r = 2^m + 2^{m-1} - 1$, $\Delta_r(y)$ is at most a 6-valued function.

$$\Delta_r(y) = 2^m(j-1), \quad 0 \leq j \leq 5.$$

proof:

From (2.6), $\text{GCD}(r, 2^n-1) = 1$.

$$r \equiv 2^{m-1} \pmod{2^m-1}$$

$$r \equiv 2^{m-1} - 2 \pmod{2^m+1}$$

With $k = m-1$, $s = 2^{m-1}-2$ and $n = 2m$, (3.9) becomes:

$$\begin{aligned} & y\beta + \beta^{(2^{m-1}-2)2^{-m+1}} + y^{2^m}\beta^{-1} + \beta^{-(2^{m-1}-2)2^{-m+1}} \\ &= y\beta + \beta^{1-2^{-m+2}} + y^{2^m}\beta^{-1} + \beta^{-(1-2^{-m+2})} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Since $\beta^{2^m} = \beta^{-1}$ and $\beta = \beta^{-2^m}$,

$$\begin{aligned} & y\beta + \beta(\beta^{2^m})^{2^{-m+2}} + y^{2^m}\beta^{-1} + \beta^{-1}(\beta^{-2^m})^{2^{-m+2}} \\ &= y\beta + \beta \cdot \beta^{2^2} + y^{2^m}\beta^{-1} + \beta^{-1} \cdot \beta^{-2^2} \\ &= y\beta + \beta^5 + y^{2^m}\beta^{-1} + \beta^{-5} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Multiplying by β^5 ,

$$\beta^{10} + y\beta^6 + y^{2^m}\beta^4 + 1 = 0$$

Raising to the power 2^{-1} ,

$$\beta^5 + y^{1/2}\beta^3 + y^{2^{m-1}}\beta^2 + 1 = 0$$

QED

THEOREM 3-10:

If $n = 2m$ and $r = 2^{m+2} - 3$, $\Delta_r(y)$ is at most an 8-valued function.

$$\Delta_r(y) = 2^m(j-1), \quad 0 \leq j \leq 7.$$

proof:

From (2.7), $\text{GCD}(r, 2^n-1) = 1$.

$$r = 4(2^m-1) + 1 \equiv 1 \pmod{2^m-1}$$

$$r = 4(2^m+1) - 7 \equiv -7 \pmod{2^m+1}$$

With $k = 0$, $s = -7$ and $n = 2m$, (3.9) becomes:

$$y\beta + \beta^{-7} + y^{2^m}\beta^{-1} + \beta^7 = 0$$

Multiplying by β^7 ,

$$\beta^{14} + y\beta^8 + y^{2^m}\beta^6 + 1 = 0$$

Raising to the power 2^{-1} ,

$$\beta^7 + y^{\frac{1}{2}}\beta^4 + y^{2^{m-1}}\beta^3 + 1 = 0 \quad \text{QED}$$

REMARK: Computed results indicate that for $n = 2m = 4m'$ and $r = 2^{m+2} - 3$, $\Delta_r(y)$ is at most 5-valued.

$$\Delta_r(y) = 2^m(j-1), \quad j = 0, 1, 2, 3 \text{ or } 5.$$

REMARK: When $n = 8$, a further improvement can be made on Theorem 3-10.

$$r = 2^{4+2} - 3 = 61$$

$$r^{-1} = 23 \cdot 2$$

Let $r' = 23$. Then $r' \equiv 2^3 \pmod{15}$ and $r' \equiv 6 \pmod{17}$.

With $k = 3$, $s = 6$ and $n = 2 \cdot 4$, (3.9) becomes:

$$y\beta + \beta^{6 \cdot 2^{-3}} + y^{2^4}\beta^{-1} + \beta^{-6 \cdot 2^{-3}} = 0$$

$$y\beta + \beta^{3 \cdot 2^{-2}} + y^{2^4}\beta^{-1} + \beta^{-3 \cdot 2^{-2}} = 0$$

Since $\beta^{17} = 1$, $\beta^{-1} = \beta^{2^4}$ and $\beta = \beta^{-2^4}$.

$$y\beta + (\beta^{-2^4})^{3 \cdot 2^{-2}} + y^{2^4}\beta^{-1} + (\beta^{2^4})^{3 \cdot 2^{-2}} = 0$$

$$y\beta + \beta^{-12} + y^{16}\beta^{-1} + \beta^{12} = 0$$

$$y\beta + \beta^5 + y^{16}\beta^{-1} + \beta^{-5} = 0$$

Multiplying by β^5 and then raising to the power 2^{-1} ,

$$\beta^5 + y^{\frac{1}{2}}\beta^3 + y^8\beta^2 + 1 = 0$$

Hence,

$$\Delta_{23}(y^{-61}) = \Delta_{61}(y) = 2^4(j-1), \quad 0 \leq j \leq 5.$$

THEOREM 3-11:

If $n = 2m$ and $r = 2^{m+2} + 2^m - 3$, $\Delta_r(y)$ is at most a 9-valued function.

$$\Delta_r(y) = 2^m(j-1), 0 \leq j \leq 8.$$

proof:

From (2.8), $\text{GCD}(r, 2^n - 1) = 1$.

$$r = 5(2^m - 1) + 2 \equiv 2 \pmod{2^m - 1}$$

$$r = 5(2^m + 1) - 8 \equiv -2^3 \pmod{2^m + 1}$$

With $k = 1$, $s = -2^3$ and $n = 2m$, (3.9) becomes:

$$y\beta + \beta^{-2^3 \cdot 2^{-1}} + y^{2^m} \beta^{-1} + \beta^{2^3 \cdot 2^{-1}} = 0$$

$$y\beta + \beta^{-4} + y^{2^m} \beta^{-1} + \beta^4 = 0$$

Multiplying by β^4 ,

$$\beta^8 + y\beta^5 + y^{2^m} \beta^3 + 1 = 0$$

QED

3. COMPUTED RESULTS

Table 3-1 gives the cyclotomic coset leaders given by (3.1) through (3.6), which are considered in Theorems 3-6 through 3-11 respectively. Table 3-2 gives the actual values of $N_\beta(y) = \{\Delta_r(y)/2^m + 1\}$. It is observed that the bounds given by Theorems 3-8 and 3-9 are tight whereas the bounds given by Theorems 3-10 and 3-11 are not.

For $n = 12$ and $n = 14$, there exist many other decimations which are not covered by 6 theorems of the previous section. Degrees of (3.9) that result from those decimations are found to be high. However, the computed

results indicate that values which $\Delta_r(y)$ takes on are restricted. With 2 exceptions, $r = 331$ and $r = 631$ for $n = 12$, $\Delta_r(y)$ for which $r \equiv 2^k \pmod{2^{n/2}-1}$ are seen to be 7-valued or less. Table 3-3 lists all decimations of this type for $n = 4$ through $n = 14$. The number in parentheses following decimation r is the number of distinct values that $\Delta_r(y)$ takes on.

CYCLOTOMIC COSET LEADERS GIVEN BY (3.1) THROUGH (3.6)

n	4	6	8	10	12	14	16
r_1	7		31		127		511
r_2	7		53		457		3857
r_3	7	11	19	35	67	131	259
r_4		11		47		191	
r_5	7	23	61	125	253	509	1021
r_6		11	53	157	317	637	1277

TABLE 3-1

NUMBER OF SOLUTIONS TO (3.9) and (3.10), $N_\beta(y)$

r_1	0	1	2	3				
r_2	0	1	2	$2^{n/4}+1$				
r_3	0	1	2	3	4	for $n \geq 6$		
r_4	0	1	2	3	4	for $n = 6$		
	0	1	2	3	4	5	for $n = 10, 14$	
r_5	0	1	2	3			for $n = 4$	
	0	1	2	3	4		for $n = 6$	
	0	1	2	3	5		for $n = 8, 12, 16$	
	0	1	2	3	4	5	for $n = 10, 14$	
r_6	0	1	2	3	4		for $n = 6, 10$	
	0	1	2	5			for $n = 8$	
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	for $n = 12, 14$

TABLE 3-2

DECIMATIONS OF TYPE $2^k \text{ MOD } 2^{n/2}-1$

n = 4	7(4)				
n = 6	11(5)	23(5)			
n = 8	19(5)	23(5)	31(4)	47(5)	53(4)
	61(5)	91(4)			
n = 10	35(5)	47(6)	95(5)	101(5)	109(6)
	125(6)	157(5)	221(6)	343(6)	
n = 12	67(5)	71(6)	79(7)	127(4)	191(5)
	197(7)	253(5)	317(7)	319(7)	331(8)
	347(7)	379(7)	443(7)	457(4)	473(7)
	599(5)	631(8)	701(6)	757(6)	821(7)
	823(7)	827(7)	1387(4)		
n = 14	131(5)	143(7)	191(6)	383(5)	389(7)
	397(6)	413(6)	445(6)	509(6)	637(7)
	667(7)	763(6)	893(7)	905(7)	953(6)
	1145(7)	1147(7)	1151(6)	1175(6)	1207(6)
	1271(6)	1399(6)	1405(6)	1429(6)	1525(7)
	1655(7)	1715(6)	1907(6)	1909(6)	1913(7)
	2429(6)	2477(7)	2669(6)	2671(7)	2675(7)
	2683(6)	2731(6)	2923(7)	3431(6)	3437(7)
	3445(6)				

TABLE 3-3

CHAPTER IV

MULTI-VALUED CROSS-CORRELATION FUNCTIONS II

1. $\Delta_r(y)$ FOR $r = (2^{mk}+1)/(2^k+1)$

In this chapter we consider $\Delta_r(y)$ for the case

$$r = (2^{mk}+1)/(2^k+1), \text{ m and } n/\text{GCD}(n,k) \text{ both odd.}$$

From Lemma 2-8, $\text{GCD}(r, 2^n-1) = 1$. It can be shown that

$\Delta_r(y)$ is restricted to the form:

$$\Delta_r(y) = 0, \pm 2^{(n+de)/2}$$

where

$$e = \text{GCD}(n,k)$$

and d is a some positive odd integer.

$$\text{Given } r = (2^{mk}+1)/(2^k+1)$$

$$= 2^{(m-1)k} - 2^{(m-2)k} + \dots - 2^k + 1,$$

$$\text{consider } q = \{2^{m(n-k)}+1\}/\{2^{(n-k)}+1\}$$

$$= 2^{-(m-1)k} \{2^{(m-1)n} - 2^{k_2(m-2)n} + 2^{2k_2(m-3)n} \\ - \dots - 2^{(m-2)k_2n} + 2^{(m-1)k}\}$$

$$\equiv 2^{-(m-1)k} \{1 - 2^k + 2^{2k} - \dots + 2^{(m-1)k}\}$$

$$\text{mod } 2^n-1.$$

This says that r and q belong to the same proper cyclotomic coset. Hence, to determine $\Delta_r(y)$ for some k , it suffices to consider only those k such that $2k \leq n$ for n odd and $2k \leq (n-2)$ for n even. Furthermore, note that

$$2^{m+jn} \equiv 2^m \text{ mod } 2^n-1$$

$$\{2^{(n-m)k}+1\}/(2^k+1) \equiv 2^{-mk}(1+2^{mk})/(2^k+1) \text{ mod } 2^n-1$$

Therefore, in determining $\Delta_r(y)$, it suffices to consider

$$\begin{aligned}
 & 3 \leq m \leq n/2, \quad 2k \leq n-2 \quad \text{for } n \text{ even} \\
 & \text{and } 3 \leq m \leq n, \quad 2k \leq n \quad \text{for } n \text{ odd.}
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{4.1}$$

The case $m = 3$ reduces to the Welch's case, Theorem 1-6. The case $m = n$ odd is considered in Lemma 2-9. The case in which $3m \equiv \pm 1 \pmod n$ and $\text{GCD}(3, n) = 1$ is considered in Lemma 2-10.

In CHAPTER II it was shown that if $\text{GCD}(3, n) = 1$, the multiplicative inverse of $r = (2^{3k}+1)/(2^k+1)$ can be given by $r'' = 2^s(2^{mt}+1)/(2^t+1)$ for some s where m and t are given by (2.9) and (2.10) respectively. Similarly, if $\text{GCD}(m, n) = 1$, the multiplicative inverse of $r = (2^{mk}+1)/(2^k+1) \pmod{2^n-1}$ can be given by

$$r'' = 2^s(2^{m''k''}+1)/(2^{k''}+1) \text{ for some } s$$

where

$$m \cdot m' \equiv 1 \pmod n$$

$$j \equiv m \cdot k \pmod n$$

$$m'' = \begin{cases} n - m' & \text{when } m' \text{ is even} \\ m' & \text{when } m' \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{and } k'' = \begin{cases} n - j & \text{when } j > (n-1)/2 \\ j & \text{when } j \leq (n-1)/2 \end{cases}$$

For the analysis of $\Delta_r(y)$ of this type, we follow the same arguments used by Welch when he proved Theorem 1-6.

$$\Delta_r(y) = \sum_{x \in \text{GF}(2^n)} (-1)^{\text{Tr}_1^n \{xy + x^{(2^{mk}+1)/(2^k+1)}\}}$$

From Lemma 2-7, $\text{GCD}(2^k+1, 2^n-1) = 1$. Hence, a mapping

$x \rightarrow x^{2^{k+1}}$ permutes elements of $GF(2^n)$. Then,

$$\Delta_r(y) = \sum_{x \in GF(2^n)} (-1)^{\text{Tr}_1^n \{ yx^{2^{k+1}} + x^{2^{mk+1}} \}}$$

Let $e = \text{GCD}(n, k)$. Then, it is easy to show that

$$\text{Tr}_1^n(x) = \text{Tr}_1^e \{ \text{Tr}_e^n(x) \}$$

Let $x \in GF(2^n)$. Then, the element x can be expressed in the form

$$x = \sum_{i=1}^{n/e} x_i \sigma_i$$

where

$$x_i \in GF(2^e)$$

$$\sigma_i \in GF(2^n)$$

and $\{\sigma_1, \sigma_2, \dots, \sigma_{n/e}\}$ is the basis of $GF(2^n)$ over $GF(2^e)$.

Then,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Tr}_1^n(x) &= \text{Tr}_1^n \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^{n/e} x_i \sigma_i \right\} \\ &= \text{Tr}_1^e \left\{ \text{Tr}_e^n \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^{n/e} x_i \sigma_i \right\} \right\} \\ &= \text{Tr}_1^e \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^{n/e} x_i \text{Tr}_e^n(\sigma_i) \right\} \end{aligned}$$

Expanding $x^{2^{mk+1}}$,

$$\begin{aligned} x^{2^{mk+1}} &= \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^{n/e} x_i \sigma_i \right\}^{2^{mk} n/e} \\ &= \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^{n/e} x_i^{2^{mk}} \sigma_i^{2^{mk} n/e} \right\} \sum_{j=1}^{n/e} x_j \sigma_j \\ &= \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^{n/e} x_i \sigma_i^{2^{mk} n/e} \right\} \sum_{j=1}^{n/e} x_j \sigma_j \end{aligned}$$

$$= \sum_{i,j} x_i x_j \sigma_i^{2^{mk}} \sigma_j$$

Define $Q(x)$ by:

$$Q(x) = \text{Tr}_e^n(yx^{2^k+1} + x^{2^{mk}+1})$$

where

$$y \in \text{GF}(2^n).$$

$$\begin{aligned} Q(x) &= \text{Tr}_e^n\{y \cdot \sum_{i,j} x_i x_j \sigma_i^{2^k} \sigma_j + \sum_{i,j} x_i x_j \sigma_i^{2^{mk}} \sigma_j\} \\ &= \text{Tr}_e^n\{ \sum_{i,j} x_i x_j (y \sigma_i^{2^k} \sigma_j + \sigma_i^{2^{mk}} \sigma_j) \} \\ &= \sum_{i,j} x_i x_j \text{Tr}_e^n(y \sigma_i^{2^k} \sigma_j + \sigma_i^{2^{mk}} \sigma_j) \\ &= \sum_{i,j} x_i x_j \cdot \delta_{ij} \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\delta_{ij} = \text{Tr}_e^n(y \sigma_i^{2^k} \sigma_j + \sigma_i^{2^{mk}} \sigma_j) \in \text{GF}(2^e).$$

Hence, $Q(x)$ is a quadratic form over $\text{GF}(2^e)$.

A quadratic form with coefficients in $\text{GF}(2^e)$ can be reduced to one of the following 2 canonical forms: [20] [21]

$$\text{Type I: } QF = x_1 x_2 + \dots + x_{2s-1} x_{2s} + x_{2s+1}^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Type II: } QF_\lambda &= x_1 x_2 + \dots + x_{2s-1} x_{2s} \\ &\quad + \lambda(x_{2s-1}^2 + x_{2s}^2) \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\lambda = 0$$

$$\text{or } \lambda \in \text{GF}(2^e) \text{ and } \text{Tr}_1^e(\lambda) = 1.$$

First, consider $\Delta_r(y)$ for Type I.

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta_r(y) &= \sum_{x \in GF(2^n)} (-1)^{\text{Tr}_1^e(Q(x))} \\ &= \sum_{x_1 \dots x_{n/e}} \dots \sum_{x_{2s+1}} (-1)^{\text{Tr}_1^e(x_1 x_2 + x_3 x_4 + \dots + x_{2s+1}^2)}\end{aligned}$$

where

x_i 's range over $GF(2^e)$.

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta_r(y) &= \sum_{x_1} \sum_{x_2} (-1)^{\text{Tr}_1^e(x_1 x_2)} \sum_{x_3} \sum_{x_4} (-1)^{\text{Tr}_1^e(x_3 x_4)} \dots \\ &\quad \sum_{x_{2s-1}} \sum_{x_{2s}} (-1)^{\text{Tr}_1^e(x_{2s-1} x_{2s})} \sum_{x_{2s+1}} (-1)^{\text{Tr}_1^e(x_{2s+1}^2)} \\ &\quad \sum_{x_{2s+2}} \dots \sum_{x_{n/e}} (1)\end{aligned}$$

From Lemma 1-1,

$$\sum_{x_{2s+1}} (-1)^{\text{Tr}_1^e(x_{2s+1}^2)} = \sum_{x_{2s+1}} (-1)^{\text{Tr}_1^e(x_{2s+1})} = 0$$

Hence, if $Q(x)$ is of Type I, $\Delta_r(y) = 0$.

Next, consider $\Delta_r(y)$ for Type II.

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta_r(y) &= \sum_{x_1} \sum_{x_2} (-1)^{\text{Tr}_1^e(x_1 x_2)} \sum_{x_3} \sum_{x_4} (-1)^{\text{Tr}_1^e(x_3 x_4)} \dots \\ &\quad \sum_{x_{2s-1}} \sum_{x_{2s}} (-1)^{\text{Tr}_1^e\{x_{2s-1} x_{2s} + \lambda(x_{2s-1}^2 + x_{2s}^2)\}} \\ &\quad \sum_{x_{2s+1}} \dots \sum_{x_{n/e}} (1)\end{aligned}$$

Consider the s -th sum. By the substitution of

$x_{2s-1} \rightarrow (x_{2s-1} + \lambda^{\frac{1}{2}})$ and $x_{2s} \rightarrow (x_{2s} + \lambda^{\frac{1}{2}})$, the exponent of the s -th sum becomes:

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Tr}_1^e \{ (x_{2s-1} + \lambda^{\frac{1}{2}})(x_{2s} + \lambda^{\frac{1}{2}}) + \lambda(x_{2s-1}^2 + \lambda + x_{2s}^2 + \lambda) \} \\ &= \text{Tr}_1^e \{ x_{2s-1}x_{2s} + \lambda + \lambda^{\frac{1}{2}}(x_{2s-1} + x_{2s}) + \lambda(x_{2s-1}^2 + x_{2s}^2) \} \\ &= \text{Tr}_1^e (x_{2s-1}x_{2s} + \lambda) \end{aligned}$$

Then the s -th sum becomes:

$$(-1)^{\text{Tr}_1^e(\lambda)} \sum_{x_{2s-1}} \sum_{x_{2s}} (-1)^{\text{Tr}_1^e(x_{2s-1}x_{2s})}$$

Hence,

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_r(y) &= (-1)^{\text{Tr}_1^e(\lambda)} \left\{ \sum_{x_1} \sum_{x_2} (-1)^{\text{Tr}_1^e(x_1x_2)} \right\}^s \\ &\quad \sum_{x_{2s+1}} \cdots \sum_{x_{n/e}} (1) \end{aligned}$$

Since

$$\sum_{x_1} \sum_{x_2} (-1)^{\text{Tr}_1^e(x_1x_2)} = 2^e$$

$$\text{and } \sum_{x_{2s+1}} \cdots \sum_{x_{n/e}} (1) = (2^e)^{n/e - 2s} = 2^{n-2es},$$

we have

$$\Delta_r(y) = (-1)^{\text{Tr}_1^e(\lambda)} (2^e)^s \cdot 2^{n-2es} = \pm 2^{n-es}$$

Thus we have:

$$\text{If } Q(x) \text{ is of Type I, } \Delta_r(y) = 0$$

$$\text{If } Q(x) \text{ is of Type II, } \Delta_r(y) = \pm 2^{n-es}$$

(4.2)

where

$2s$ is the rank of QF_λ .

In order to evaluate $\Delta_r(y)$ explicitly, it suffices to find the rank of the quadratic form over $GF(2^e)$ of the Type II, QF_λ .

Suppose an element z in $GF(2^n)$ has its first $2s$ coordinates equal to zero in that coordinates which produced the canonical form. Then

$$Q(x + z) = Q(x) + Q(z), \quad x \in GF(2^n).$$

Furthermore, if the quadratic form is of Type II, $Q(z) = 0$.

Hence, to find the rank of the quadratic form of Type II, we must find the number of z in $GF(2^n)$ such that

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= Q(x + z) + Q(x) \\ &= \text{Tr}_e^n \{ y(x+z)^{2^k+1} + (x+z)^{2^{mk}+1} \} \\ &\quad + \text{Tr}_e^n \{ yx^{2^k+1} + x^{2^{mk}+1} \} \\ &= \text{Tr}_e^n \{ yx^{2^k+1} + yx^{2^k}z + yxz^{2^k} + yz^{2^k+1} + x^{2^{mk}+1} \\ &\quad + x^{2^{mk}}z + xz^{2^{mk}} + z^{2^{mk}+1} + yx^{2^k+1} + x^{2^{mk}+1} \} \\ &= \text{Tr}_e^n \{ yx^{2^k}z + yxz^{2^k} + x^{2^{mk}}z + xz^{2^{mk}} \} \\ &\quad + \text{Tr}_e^n \{ yz^{2^k+1} + z^{2^{mk}+1} \} \\ &= \text{Tr}_e^n \{ y^{2^{(m-1)k}} x^{2^{mk}} z^{2^{(m-1)k}} + y^{2^{mk}} x^{2^{mk}} z^{2^{(m+1)k}} \\ &\quad + x^{2^{mk}}z + x^{2^{mk}}z^{2^{2mk}} \} + Q(z) \end{aligned}$$

$$= \text{Tr}_e^n \{ x^{2^{mk}} \{ z^{2^{2mk}} + z + y^{2^{mk}} z^{2^{(m+1)k}} + y^{2^{(m-1)k}} z^{2^{(m-1)k}} \} \}$$

Since the above must hold as x ranges over $\text{GF}(2^n)$, we must have

$$z^{2^{2mk}} + z + y^{2^{mk}} z^{2^{(m+1)k}} + y^{2^{(m-1)k}} z^{2^{(m-1)k}} = 0 \quad (4.3)$$

Suppose z_1 is a solution to (4.3). Then, for $\alpha_1 \in \text{GF}(2^e)$, $z = \alpha_1 z_1$ is also a solution to (4.3) since

$$z^{2^{jk}} = \alpha_1^{2^{jk}} z_1^{2^{jk}} = \alpha_1 \cdot z_1^{2^{jk}} \quad \text{for any } j.$$

If z_2 is another solution to (4.3), then for $\alpha_2 \in \text{GF}(2^e)$ $z = (\alpha_1 z_1 + \alpha_2 z_2)$ is also a solution to (4.3). This says that the set of solutions to (4.3) is a linear space over $\text{GF}(2^e)$. Hence, the number of solutions z in $\text{GF}(2^n)$ to (4.3) is of the form $(2^e)^d$, where d is the dimension of the solution space over $\text{GF}(2^e)$.

The rank of the quadratic form of Type II over $\text{GF}(2^e)$, $2s$, is equal to:

$$2s = n/e - d \quad (4.4)$$

Since n/e is odd, d must also be odd.

It can be shown that if $\{z_1, z_2, \dots, z_{n/e}\}$ is the basis for $\text{GF}(2^n)$ over $\text{GF}(2^e)$, then $\{z_1, z_2, \dots, z_{n/e}\}$ is also the basis of $\text{GF}(2^{kn/e})$ over $\text{GF}(2^{2k})$.

The set of solutions to (4.3) is also a linear space over $\text{GF}(2^{2k})$. In view of the fact that (4.3) is of

degree $2^{mk} = (2^{2k})^m$, the dimension of the solution space is at most m . Hence,

$$1 \leq d \leq m, \quad d \text{ odd} \quad (4.5)$$

Substituting (4.4) into (4.2), we have

$$\Delta_r(y) = \begin{cases} 0 \\ \pm 2^{(n+de)/2}, \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq d \leq m, \quad d \text{ odd} \quad (4.6)$$

In [22] Kasami evaluates the weight distribution of the dual of the cyclic code whose generator polynomial is

$$\prod_{i=0}^{u-1} f_{1+2^{k(2i+1)}}(x).$$

The weight of this code is restricted to the form:

$$2^{n-1} \pm 2^{(n-e)/2 + ie - 1} \quad 1 \leq i \leq u-1$$

where

$$e = \text{GCD}(n, k).$$

The $(2^n-1, 2n)$ cyclic code generated by

$$\frac{x^{2^n-1} + 1}{x^{2n \cdot f_{1+2^k(1/x) \cdot f_{1+2^{mk}(1/x)}}}}$$

is a subcode of the Kasami's code for $u = (m+1)/2$. Hence the weight restriction implies that (4.6) can be improved to:

$$\Delta_r(y) = \begin{cases} 0 \\ \pm 2^{(n+de)/2}, \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq d \leq m-2, \quad d \text{ odd} \quad (4.7)$$

(4.7) immediately implies that

LEMMA 4-1:

If $r = (2^{5k}+1)/(2^k+1)$, $e = \text{GCD}(n, k)$ and n/e is odd,

$\Delta_r(y)$ is at most 5-valued.

$$\Delta_r(y) = 0, \pm 2^{(n+e)/2}, \pm 2^{(n+3e)/2}.$$

2. COMPUTED RESULTS AND CONJECTURES

Table 4-1 lists the cyclotomic coset leaders given by $r = (2^{mk}+1)/(2^k+1)$ where both m and $n/\text{GCD}(n,k)$ are odd. m and k are restricted to (4.1). The number in parentheses following decimation r is the number of the distinct values that $\Delta_r(y)$ takes on. For $n=15$, the coset leaders given by $m=15$ are omitted from Table 4-1.

These results exhibit definite patterns and they can be summarized by the following 3 conjectures. As before, $e = \text{GCD}(n,k)$ and $r = (2^{mk}+1)/(2^k+1) \not\equiv 2^j \pmod{2^n-1}$ for any j , $0 \leq j \leq n-1$, with m and n/e both odd.

CONJECTURE 4-2:

If $e > 1$, then $\Delta_r(y)$ is a 3-valued function. Δ_r and $n(\Delta_r)$ are given by (1.8).

CONJECTURE 4-3:

If $e = 1$ but n is not a prime, then $\Delta_r(y)$ is at most a 5-valued function. $\Delta_r(y)$ is of the form (4.7).

CONJECTURE 4-4:

If n is a prime, $\Delta_r(y)$ is at most a 5-valued function.

$$\Delta_r(y) = 0, \pm 2^{(n+1)/2}, \pm 2^{(n+3)/2}.$$

REMARK: It is observed that $\Delta_r(y)$ given in Conjecture 4-4 is a 5-valued function if m is restricted to

$$5 \leq m \leq n-2$$

$$\text{and } 3m \not\equiv \pm 1 \pmod{n}.$$

Next, we give conjectures on decimations of the types not considered in this chapter. Among the decimations that lead to the 3-valued $\Delta_r(y)$, there remain only a few cases that are not covered by Theorems 1-5, 1-6 or Lemmas 2-9, 2-10. They are listed in Table 1-2. It is seen that they are still not covered by Conjecture 4-2. The following conjecture covers all of these remaining cases.

CONJECTURE 4-5:

The following 5 decimations lead to the 3-valued $\Delta_r(y)$.

- (1) $r = 2^{(n-1)/2} + 3 \quad n \equiv 1 \pmod{2}$
- (2) $r = 2^{(n-1)/2} + 2^{(n-1)/4} - 1 \quad n \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$
- (3) $r = 2^{(n-1)/2} + 2^{(3n-1)/4} - 1 \quad n \equiv 3 \pmod{4}$
- (4) $r = 2^{(n+2)/2} + 3 \quad n \equiv 2 \pmod{4}$
- (5) $r = 2^{n/2} + 2^{(n+2)/4} + 1 \quad n \equiv 2 \pmod{4}$

Δ_r and $n(\Delta_r)$ for (1), (2) and (3) are given by (1.8) with $e = 1$. Δ_r and $n(\Delta_r)$ for (4) and (5) are given by (1.8) with $e = 2$.

REMARK: The case (1) has been known for some time by Welch.

It is of interest to note that all 3 decimations of Conjecture 4-5 for n odd are of the form $2^{(n-1)/2} + 2^j - 1$ for some j . The next conjecture is on the 5-valued $\Delta_r(y)$.

CONJECTURE 4-6:

The following 5 decimations lead to at most the 5-valued $\Delta_r(y)$.

- (1) $r = 2^{(n+1)/2} - 2^{(n-3)/2} \pm 1 \quad n \equiv 1 \pmod{2}$
- (2) $r = 2^{(n+3)/4} + 3 \quad n \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$
- (3) $r = 2^{(n+1)/2} - 2^{(n+3)/4} + 1 \quad n \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$
- (4) $r = 2^{(n-1)/2} - 2^{(n+1)/4} + 1 \quad n \equiv 3 \pmod{4}$
- (5) $r = 2^{n/2+2} - 3 \quad n \equiv 0 \pmod{4}$

Conjectures 4-2 through 4-6 have been verified for $n \leq 16$. Conjecture 4-4 with $k = 1$ and $m = 5, 7$ & 9 , Conjecture 4-5 (1) & (2) and Conjecture 4-6 (2) still hold for $n = 17$.

CYCLOTOMIC COSET LEADERS GIVEN BY $(2^{mk}+1)/(2^k+1)$

n	k	e	m				
			3	5	7	9	11
3	1	1	3(3)				
5	1	1	3(3)	11(3)			
	2	1	11(3)	7(3)			
6	2	2	13(3)				
7	1	1	3(3)	11(3)	43(3)		
	2	1	13(3)	29(3)	27(3)		
	3	1	23(3)	43(3)	15(3)		
9	1	1	3(3)	11(5)	43(5)	171(3)	
	2	1	13(3)	107(5)	109(5)	103(3)	
	3	3	57(3)	1(2)	1(2)	57(3)	
	4	1	47(3)	109(5)	93(5)	31(3)	
10	2	2	13(3)	205(3)			
	4	2	79(3)	181(3)			
11	1	1	3(3)	11(5)	43(3)	171(5)	683(3)
	2	1	13(3)	205(5)	413(3)	423(5)	411(3)
	3	1	57(3)	235(5)	683(3)	343(5)	231(3)
	4	1	143(3)	121(5)	151(3)	429(5)	365(3)
	5	1	95(3)	221(5)	315(3)	189(5)	63(3)
12	4	4	241(3)	1(2)			

n	k	e	m					
			3	5	7	9	11	13
13	1	1	3(3)	11(5)	43(5)	171(3)	683(5)	2731(3)
	2	1	13(3)	205(5)	1643(5)	1691(3)	1645(5)	1639(3)
	3	1	57(3)	919(5)	1367(5)	2731(3)	939(5)	911(3)
	4	1	241(3)	497(5)	483(5)	723(3)	1461(5)	1453(3)
	5	1	287(3)	745(5)	869(5)	1245(3)	749(5)	1243(3)
	6	1	191(3)	445(5)	953(5)	635(3)	381(5)	127(3)
14	2	2	13(3)	205(3)	3277(3)			
	4	2	241(3)	979(3)	2893(3)			
	6	2	319(3)	1339(3)	2773(3)			
15	1	1	3(3)	11(5)	43(5)	171(5)	683(5)	2731(5)
	2	1	13(3)	205(5)	3277(5)	6557(5)	6605(5)	6567(5)
	3	3	57(3)	3641(3)	57(3)	1(2)	1(2)	57(3)
	4	1	241(3)	1943(5)	5783(5)	5813(5)	5805(5)	2895(5)
	5	5	993(3)	1(2)	1(2)	993(3)	1(2)	1(2)
	6	3	575(3)	3529(3)	575(3)	1(2)	1(2)	575(3)
	7	1	383(3)	893(5)	1913(5)	2295(5)	1275(5)	765(5)

TABLE 4-1

CHAPTER V

SUMMARY AND COMMENTS

We have considered the cross-correlation function between two maximal linear recursive sequences: $\{a_i\}_{i=0}^{2^n-2}$ and $\{a_{ri}\}_{i=0}^{2^n-2}$. We have defined the cross-correlation function $\Delta_r(y)$ by:

$$\Delta_r(y) = \sum_{x \in GF(2^n)} (-1)^{\text{Tr}(xy + x^r)}$$

and analyzed $\Delta_r(y)$ for two types of decimation r :

$$(1) \quad r \equiv 2^k \pmod{2^{n/2}-1}$$

$$\text{and } (2) \quad r = (2^{mk}+1)/(2^k+1).$$

For the type (1) $\Delta_r(y)$ is of the form:

$$\Delta_r(y) = 2^{n/2}(j-1), \quad 0 \leq j \leq J, \text{ for some } J.$$

The value j is the number of distinct solutions to the two equations over $GF(2^n)$. For the type (2) $\Delta_r(y)$ is of the form:

$$\Delta_r(y) = 0, \pm 2^{(n+de)/2}, \quad 1 \leq d \leq m-2, \quad d \text{ odd and} \\ e = \text{GCD}(n, k).$$

The value d depends on the rank of the quadratic form over $GF(2^e)$.

For the both types the complete evaluation of $n(\Delta_r)$ depends on one's ability to determine the number of solutions to equations in $GF(2^n)$. However, using Lemma 2-5, $n(\Delta_r)$ can be determined completely even though

$n(\Delta_r)$ may be known only for certain Δ_r as in the case of Theorems 3-6 and 3-7. For $r = 2^m + 3$, $n = 2m$ (Theorem 3-8), $n(\Delta_r)$ can be determined completely if it is possible to

1. evaluate $\Sigma\{\Delta_r(y)\}^3$
- or 2. find any one of N_0 , N_1 , N_2 and N_4 where
 N_1 is the number of times $N_8(y) = 1$.

From the observation of results obtained, it is seen that many decimations that lead to 3-valued, 4-valued and 5-valued $\Delta_r(y)$ are one of the above two types. We have also presented some conjectures on 3-valued and 5-valued $\Delta_r(y)$ that are not covered by the known theorems.

APPENDIX A

CROSS-CORRELATION VALUES

In APPENDIX A Δ_r and $\eta(\Delta_r)$ for all r are tabulated for $3 \leq n \leq 12$. For $n = 13, 14$ and 15 , Δ_r and $\eta(\Delta_r)$ are given if $\Delta_r(y)$ is 7-valued or less. For $n = 16$, Δ_r and $\eta(\Delta_r)$ are given if $\Delta_r(y)$ is 5-valued or less. Δ_r and $\eta(\Delta_r)$ for $r = 2^{n-1}-1$ are also given for $13 \leq n \leq 16$.

Suppose we have 2 proper cyclotomic coset leaders r and q such that $r \cdot q \equiv 2^k \pmod{2^n-1}$. Then, in view of Lemma 2-3, Δ_r and $\eta(\Delta_r)$ are given provided $r \leq q$. See APPENDIX B for the inverse pair relation of cyclotomic coset leaders.

In APPENDIX A the first column is the cyclotomic coset leader r . The second column gives the number of distinct values that $\Delta_r(y)$ takes on. The numbers to the right give the distribution. $\eta(\Delta_r)$ and Δ_r are given in pair: the first number is $\eta(\Delta_r)$ and the second number in parentheses is Δ_r .

EXAMPLE: For $n = 7$, $\Delta_9(y)$ is 3-valued. $\Delta_9(y) = 16$ 36 times, $\Delta_9(y) = 0$ 64 times and $\Delta_9(y) = -16$ 28 times as y ranges over $GF(2^7)$. Note that $9 \cdot 15 = 135 \equiv 2^3 \pmod{127}$. The cyclotomic cosets containing 9 and 15 are inverse of each other, and $\Delta_9(y)$ is given but $\Delta_{15}(y)$ is omitted.

61 11 76 2-1 141 161 141 121 71 41 211 41 151 01 71 -41 211 -81 81 -121 71 -161
71 -211

DEGREE 8

7 6 11 641 141 121 481 141 1051 01 521 -161 141 -321
11 7 41 481 101 321 641 161 1011 01 641 -161 81 -321 11 -641
13 6 11 641 41 441 841 161 1011 01 481 -161 141 -321
19 5 91 481 41 321 641 161 881 01 881 -161
21 5 21 641 201 321 561 161 421 01 881 -161
31 4 401 321 161 141 1201 01 801 -161
41 4 21 761 11 641 761 141 1091 01 601 -161 81 -321
51 4 41 641 741 141 621 01 961 -161
127 16 51 321 81 241 201 241 161 161 161 121 201 81 161 41 171 01 321 -41
141 -91 241 -121 141 -161 81 -201 161 -241 81 -281

DEGREE 9

3 3 1341 321 2561 01 1201 -321
5 3 1341 321 2541 01 1201 -321
9 3 341 641 641 01 781 -641
11 5 91 641 1081 321 2461 01 1081 -321 11 -641
13 3 1341 321 2561 01 1201 -321
15 16 71 641 91 441 141 401 191 321 391 241 451 161 1001 81 711 01 541 -81 631 -161
141 -241 141 -321 271 -401 31 -481
17 3 1341 321 2561 01 1201 -321
19 3 1341 321 2561 01 1201 -321
21 5 91 641 1081 321 2861 01 1081 -321 11 -641
27 4 11 441 271 441 541 321 991 161 1481 01 1171 -161 541 -321 121 -481
37 2 31 761 11 401 91 641 211 481 271 321 991 161 1631 01 1351 -161 541 -321
39 4 371 481 541 321 991 161 1451 01 1081 -161 721 -321 31 -481 11 -641

41	9	91 641	91 441	451 321	1181 161	1191 01	991 (-161)	631 (-321)	91 (-481)	11(-1121)
43	5	91 641	1291 121	2861 01	1781 (-321)	11(-641)				
45	7	271 641	371 121	1381 161	1541 01	631 (-161)	811 (-321)	121 (-481)		
47	3	1361 321	2561 01	1271 (-321)						
51	13	371 401	271 401	91 321	271 241	161 161	821 81	821 01	811 (-81)	541 (-161)
		441 (-121)	91 (-401)	11(-721)						271 (-261)
55	14	11 121	11 441	211 481	271 401	91 321	271 241	341 161	721 41	1001 01
		631 (-161)	161 (-241)	271 (-321)	191 (-401)					721 (-81)
51	8	271 401	541 321	1021 161	1481 01	1171 (-161)	541 (-321)	91 (-481)	11(-1121)	
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79	8	11 521	271 441	541 321	991 161	1481 01	1171 (-161)	541 (-321)	121 (-481)	
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DEGREE 16

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APPENDIX B

INVERSE PAIR RELATION OF CYCLOTOMIC COSET LEADERS

In APPENDIX B the inverse pair relation of cyclotomic coset leaders is given for $3 \leq n \leq 14$. If two cyclotomic coset leaders r and q are such that $r \cdot q \equiv 2^k \pmod{2^n - 1}$ and $r \leq q$, then r and q are given in pair with q in parentheses.

EXAMPLE: For $n = 7$, two cyclotomic cosets containing 9 and 15 are inverse of each other as mentioned above. For $n = 9$ the cyclotomic coset containing 75 is a self-inverse since $(75)^2 = 5625 \equiv 2^2 \pmod{511}$.

INVERSE PAIR RELATION OF CYCLOTOMIC COSET LEADERS

		DEGREE 3		2 PAIRS	
1(	1)	3(	3)		
		DEGREE 4		2 PAIRS	
1(	1)	7(	7)		
		DEGREE 5		4 PAIRS	
1(	1)	3(	11)	5(	7)
				15(	15)
		DEGREE 6		4 PAIRS	
1(	1)	5(	13)	11(	23)
				31(	31)
		DEGREE 7		10 PAIRS	
1(	1)	3(	43)	5(	27)
63(	63)			7(	55)
				9(	15)
				11(	13)
				19(	47)
				21(	31)
				23(	29)
		DEGREE 8		12 PAIRS	
1(	1)	7(	57)	11(	29)
127(	127)			13(	59)
				19(	47)
				23(	61)
				31(	91)
				43(	43)
				53(	53)
		DEGREE 9		24 PAIRS	
1(	1)	3(	171)	5(	103)
23(	23)			7(	181)
59(	223)			75(	75)
				9(	57)
				11(	93)
				13(	59)
				15(	29)
				17(	123)
				19(	127)
				21(	103)
				23(	123)
				25(	103)
				27(	47)
				29(	43)
				31(	29)
				33(	191)
				35(	171)

DEGREE 10 32 PAIRS

11	11	51	2051	71	4301	131	791	171	1011	191	1751	251	411	291	2471
351	951	371	431	431	1101	471	1091	491	1071	531	2411	511	1511	711	2431
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DEGREE 11 90 PAIRS

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2551	7311	3011	9591	3071	7671	3111	3111	3171	3011	4131	3791	3331	3751	3471	3511
3501	7271	3711	4691	4151	4391	4431	4951	4631	7031	4771	7511	4911	7631	6071	10231

DEGREE 12 76 PAIRS

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4201	8011	8771	14991	9471	14931	20471	20471								

DEGREE 13 316 PAIRS

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